

speediest build-up and industrialization of the countries of socialism. Unity is the key to the struggles of the working class.

As the balance of forces has shifted against reaction, disunity in the ranks of the forces for progress, has become an evermore important weapon for the forces of reaction. Disunity in the ranks of anti-imperialism is not the lethal weapon of imperialism. Disunity in the ranks of world socialism has now become a deadly weapon in the hands of capitalism. Disunity in the ranks of the peace forces greatly encourages wars and aggression. Therefore, as you so well know, the factors weighing on the side of unity have to be carefully nurtured and promoted.

The experience of struggle, the experiences of life are now increasingly weighted on the side of unity. The successes and the failures have further prepared the soil for new steps toward unity. The experiences of struggle are now developing a political atmosphere that repels all moves and acts of disunity. The struggle for the unity of the forces of progress is a struggle for Marxism-Leninism. Placing obstacles on the path of unity of the forces of anti-imperialism, socialism and progress is a rejection of Marxism-Leninism.

The fighters against imperialism, the fighters for socialism the world over, judge all parties on how they line up on the key question of the struggle for unity.

New initiatives, new efforts for unity, must be never-ending. The struggle for unity can end only in a unity of struggle.

We know these concepts are not new or foreign to you or to the C.P.S.U. We only take advantage of this occasion to express our support, to express our sense of urgency for the concept of the struggle for unity.

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I want to express my deep personal regrets that I am not able to be a guest at your historic Congress. Our Party is holding its first public convention since 1959 this coming June and we have just released the New Draft Program of our Party. This makes it impossible for me to leave at this time. However, I look with great pleasure and anticipation to my visit to the Soviet Union after our National Convention.

So please accept our most sincere congratulations, our deep sense of confidence that the C.P.S.U. will continue to lead the people of the Soviet Union in the building of the new Communist society and thereby keep setting the pace in the transition to the new way of life.

Comradely yours,

*Bois-Her*  
C.P.S.U.

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"Tuesday

"Dear Comrade

"I have just been instructed by GUS HALL that the letter to BREZHNEV be given to you immediately and with no delays. It so happens that WINSTON, JACKSON and LUMER were just informed by the airline on which they were scheduled to depart from NY, USA that a strike has been called and therefore this route to their next stop had to be either cancelled or delayed (they are trying to make new arrangements for first lap). In the event there should be more delays or complications please notify your Embassies in London that JACKSON, WINSTON or LUMER may notify them of any further change for new arrival time (this, of course, should that happen).

"Therefore, to assure that the following letter from GUS HALL to BREZHNEV not be late and to be on time to be read at 23rd CPSU Congress, GUS HALL requests his letter be sent via closed channel or any other faster means.

"JACK BROOKS"

"MAY I make clearer to you why the night-time walkie-talkie is better for us than the morning walkie-talkie. As one example, the situation above is in point--an important matter in which the night-time walkie-talkie would save valuable time--as much as a day. In this situation, if walkie-talkie last night (Monday) had told you to make a drop contact, then this letter already would be well on its way--without the chance that it would arrive too late at CPSU Congress. I am still puzzled and disappointed at having again been radioed that the 15th night walkie-talkie signals failed again. I just cannot understand it. Tests along similar conditions have been most successful. (The comrade identical with CG 5824-S\* was given details on this before his departure.) Again on that night we found no technical failures. I will heed your advice in minimizing the amount of walkie-talkie signals once having received the acknowledgement. I know that perhaps there have been too many such signals and too crowded but the anxiety of response and the acknowledgement causes that. Should the next walkie-talkie test fail again on Thursday night then let time lapse and we still continue to use the same morning hours into and through the month of May. Please acknowledge this.

"BROOKS"

NY 100-134637

(3) "CCCPSU:

"Regret to tell you that no one from Puerto Rico will attend the 23rd CPSU Congress.

"Also, that Comrade CLARA COLON cannot go to said Congress."

(Re above, see NY airtels 3/16/66 and 3/18/66.)

(4) "CCCPSU - Most Confidential

"Comrade identical with CG 5824-S\* will tell you of all details regarding the man from Brooklyn. Ask him."

(Re above, see NY airtel, 3/24/66, captioned "ZIRCON, ESP - R.")

(5) "CCCPSU

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"We wish to inform you in advance that person identical with [redacted] and his wife are going to visit Soviet Union as tourists de luxe. It will be a short stay; their time is limited. They plan to visit Leningrad May 21 to 23 and will leave on the night of May 23 for Moscow, arriving 24th. Here they will stay from May 24 until 28. They must leave that day for Athens for a further tour. It would be of value to you if you could arrange a talk with your leading economist when person identical with [redacted] is in Moscow. Although he is on de luxe tour his schedule is an open one. Can you arrange that he be met and also that he be shown Moscow. Your immediate reply to me on this is important.

"GUS HALL"

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"New travel arrangements for HENRY WINSTON, JAMES JACKSON and HY LUMER are: Will depart from NYC, USA via BOAC Flight 500 to London. This change is due to strike on airline which they were originally to travel on. Schedule from London to Moscow is still the same provided no further strike. Their arrival is still 4:05 PM, Moscow time, BEA Flight 910."

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"Drop GRETA is next.  
To acknowledge, phone 686-9321,  
4:10 PM sharp."

## ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

F B I

Date: 3/22/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

SUBJECT: SOLO  
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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau is the original and two copies, and for the New York Office one copy of an informant's statement captioned "BRIEFING BY GUS HALL, GENERAL SECRETARY, COMMUNIST PARTY, USA, MARCH 18, 1966."

The information set forth in the enclosed informant's statement was orally furnished by CG 5824-S\* on 3/18/66 to SA RICHARD W. HANSEN.

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- 3 - Bureau (Encls. 3) (RM)  
1 - New York (Encl. 1) (RM)  
1 - Chicago

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6 MAR 30 1966

Approved: [Signature]  
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Special Agent in Charge

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**BRIEFING BY GUS HALL, GENERAL  
SECRETARY, COMMUNIST PARTY,  
USA, MARCH 18, 1966**

On March 18, 1966, a briefing session was held in New York City with Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party (CP), USA, which dealt with matters generally related to the CP, USA fraternal delegation being sent to the 23rd Congress of the CP of the Soviet Union and to some problems which were to be discussed abroad with leading CP representatives. During this briefing, Hall commented as follows:

Hy Lumer; Jim Jackson and wife Esther; and Henry Winston and wife Fern will depart for the Soviet Union by air on March 25, 1966. All of these individuals will travel together on the same plane and they intend to stop over for a period of several days in London. Lumer, Jim Jackson and Henry Winston will be fraternal delegates to the 23rd Congress of the CP of the Soviet Union, but Fern Winston and Esther Jackson will no way participate in this Congress.

Efforts were, as of March 18, 1966, still being made to arrange for Clara Colon to go to the Soviet Union as the fourth member of the CP, USA fraternal delegation, but she allegedly has some passport problem. In addition, there is a problem developing over the fact that she desires that her husband Jesus accompany her if she should travel. It was Hall's opinion that it would be bad if her husband Jesus accompanied her and he noted that it would be embarrassing to allow this. This was so because Jesus is a member of the National Committee, CP, USA, and Clara has no comparable Party position. If Jesus tagged along, it would be hard to explain to the Russians why Clara, rather than Jesus, was not a member of the delegation. Hall, however, feels that Jesus would not qualify because of age, and for other reasons, as a fraternal delegate.

In regard to himself going to the Soviet Union as a member of this fraternal delegation, he noted that as of that time, March 18, 1966, he definitely would not go. He noted also he did not have the letter written as yet, which he had previously mentioned he was preparing, wherein he

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intended to explain to the Russians in full detail the reasons why he did not come as a delegate. If he does complete this letter in time, he might send it to the Russians either by Lumer or Winston. However, he was not sure now that he would even write this letter and, therefore, it would be all right to inform the Russians orally that as of March 18, 1966, it did not appear that Hall would be able to make the trip.

Hall then indicated he had recently met with Lumer, Jackson and Winston and discussed with them matters of their behavior and conduct at the Congress and the policy they were to follow. He told them at this time that Winston was to be the head of the delegation and surprisingly there had been no objection by Jim Jackson on this matter. However, he felt that Jackson had probably been agreeable only because Jackson is aware that because of Winston's handicap, his blindness, he, Jackson, will be the one in the limelight after Winston is introduced. It will also probably be up to Jackson to read Winston's speech to the Congress and by this means he will get the public recognition for himself.

In this same briefing he had warned the CP, USA delegation not to play down the current role of the CP, USA in the United States and emphasized that they should not be too technical in regard to membership figures for the Party. They were also told to do the same thing regarding the paper and its circulation. These individuals were also instructed to follow through in generally the same manner in discussions regarding other phases of Party activity.

Hall then went over the position the CP, USA fraternal delegation should take in discussion with representatives of other CPs. This position, he stated, was to be one of stressing a course of unity of action, first of all unity of individual CPs with the respective working class in their country and then unity with other elements of the left, the peace forces, and etc. Then they should also stress the necessity of unity between all CPs and unity between CPs and non-CPs on predominant issues.



He then noted that he wanted the Russians told that in his opinion he felt that Fidel Castro had done an excellent job in regard to China up to now but is now getting too sharp in his criticism of them. His most recent attack against the Chinese went too far afield and he does not believe that this is now the way to fight the Chinese.

On the question of negotiations in Viet Nam, the Russians and others are to be told that the CP, USA can no longer raise this issue as it had done last fall. It is now a fact that U.S. troops do occupy a large part of South Viet Nam and that the U.S. is escalating the war there. So the CP, USA now has to view this matter as a long range proposition, emphasizing the point of view that a political victory by the Viet Cong is still possible and that the U.S. will be compelled in the future to negotiate.

Hall then stated that he wanted the Russians told that although he was unable to come to the Soviet Union at this time, he does definitely intend to travel after the Party's convention is over. They are to be informed that the primary reason why he could not travel at this time is that he must now promote the new Party program. In addition, it should be emphasized with the Russians that Hall is now a public figure in the U.S. and constantly in demand for press conferences, interviews and meetings on matters related to political life in the U.S. Hardly a day goes by without some request for interview or a public appearance. For example, he had just concluded an extensive interview with a reporter from the "Milwaukee Journal" and that newspaper is now planning to run a two part series on the results of this interview with him.

He also noted that he wanted the Russians informed that when he does visit the Soviet Union, he wants to be received there not as the leader of the CP, USA, but rather as an important public figure from the U.S. He wants them told that when he comes there to visit, the press of the world should know about it. If the press, including representatives from the U.S. press, desire to interview him while he is in Moscow, then this should and must be arranged.

If he goes as a public figure and announces his travel openly, there can be no stories published in the press that he is sneaking out of the U.S. for consultations.

Finally, Hall instructed that a "nice" letter be prepared while abroad and sent to the Polish United Workers Party thanking them for the way in which they had received his brother, Toivo Halberg, and another representative of the CP, USA, who had visited in January and for the Poles agreement to give him the purebred Arabian stallion. While this horse has not yet been received in the U.S., Hall felt such a letter might make the Poles feel good and might have the affect of speeding up the delivery by raising this matter in such an indirect fashion. He does not want this letter to reflect any criticism of the Poles.

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Date: 3/17/66

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO  
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On 3/16/66, NY 694-S\* advised that on 3/15/66, GUS HALL stated that when FRED BLAIR, head of the CPUSA in Wisconsin, was last in Budapest he visited his sister, GRACE GARDOS (Bufile 100-9306). GRACE GARDOS told her brother that she was most desirous to return to the USA and to work there in behalf of the Party. According to HALL, GRACE GARDOS is a most competent woman and he is very anxious that she return to the US in order that she may assume a managerial position in the CPUSA National Office.

HALL requested that NY 694-S\* instruct CG 5824-S\*, who is scheduled to go abroad on 3/18/66, to contact the Central Committee of the Hungarian CP and to request that arrangements be made for GRACE GARDOS to return to the US for a period of two years to be employed at the CPUSA National Office.

The above information will be furnished to the Milwaukee Office, which is Office of Origin, by a separate communication.

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Date: 3/16/66

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
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ReNYairtel 3/11/66, page 2 thereof, reflecting that the CPUSA delegation to the CPSU Congress scheduled to be held on 3/29/66 at Moscow would consist of the following: GUS HALL, HENRY WINSTON, person identical with CG 5824-S\*, JAMES JACKSON and possibly CLARA COLON. Said airtel also reflected that Mrs. HENRY WINSTON and Mrs. JAMES JACKSON would accompany their respective husbands on this trip.

On 3/16/66, NY 694-S\* advised that as yet it is not definitely certain whether GUS HALL will be a member of the said delegation. It is expected that a definite decision with regard to his going or not going will be made shortly prior to the departure of the other delegates. Informant also advised that, according to GUS HALL, HY LUMER will be a member of this delegation. (Informant stated that "this was a surprise to everybody.")

NY 694-S\* also advised that according to GUS HALL, the Puerto Rican CP would not send a delegation to the CPSU Congress.

Informant further advised that to date, the only information available concerning the itinerary of the delegates is as follows:

- 3 - Bureau (RM)  
 1 - Chicago (134-46-Sub B)(AM RM)  
 1 - NY 134-91 (INV)(41)  
 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

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That HENRY WINSTON and his wife and JAMES JACKSON and his wife are scheduled to leave New York for London via Air India on Friday, 3/25/66.

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As presently planned, [redacted] (believed to be [redacted]) will go to Washington, D. C., on either 3/21 or 22/66 to pick up at the Soviet Embassy the visas for this delegation.

When more specific information regarding the itinerary of the delegation is obtained, the Bureau will be advised.

The cases on the individuals who are members of this delegation will be handled in accordance with current Bureau instructions concerning foreign travel on the part of security subjects.

DIRECTOR, FBI (65-65405)  
(ATT: VOUCHER STATISTICAL SECTION)

3/25/66

SAC, NEW YORK (65-17696)

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"REQUEST FOR AUTOMATIC  
DATA PROCESSING UNIT SERVICE"  
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On 3/2/66, NYO exchanged \$160,000.00 consisting of \$100 notes and \$50 notes. This money was originally received by NY 694-S\* from the Soviets on 11/18/65.

Xerox copies of this money have been furnished to the Bureau by separate communication dated 3/11/66, captioned "SOLO; IS-C" (Bufile 100-428091), to be programmed by automatic processing unit.

The NYO, for this reason, has not included the serial numbers of this money in the index maintained in captioned case.

It is to be noted that NYO does not make comparison of the serial numbers of the "exchange money" with serial numbers in the index because the origin of the "exchange money" is known.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: March 29, 1966

FROM : *C. F. Downing*

SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

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Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen *Q* \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan *Q* \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S\* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 3/29/66, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at which time a message, NR 464 GR 82, was intercepted.

The plain text and cipher text are attached.

The New York Office is aware of the contents.

## ACTION:

For information.

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Enclosure

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- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
- 1 - Mr. Newpher
- 1 - Mr. Paddock

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10729 24537 41219 75540 45959 01534 01661 33806 32662 86003  
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3/29/66

ALL FIVE BAT SIGNALS ON MARCH 24<sup>G</sup> RECEIVED OK, THOUGH NOT SO  
GOOD AS IT WAS IN MORNING TIME. WE ARE READY TO START WORKING I  
N EVENINGS BEGINNING FROM MAY. YOUR SIGNAL WILL BE CALL FOR N  
EXT DAY. IF YOU HAVE NO CONFIRMATION<sup>F</sup> ON TH<sup>F</sup> YOU REPEAT YOUR SIG  
NAL NEXT DAY IN THE MO<sup>RN IN</sup> XXXX G. IN THIS CASE IT IS A CALL FOR THE S  
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SAC, Chicago (134-46)

3/23/66

Director, FBI (61-7665)

1 - Shaw

CG 5824-S\*

Reurlet 3/11/66, copies of which were furnished the New York Office.

The Bureau has carefully reviewed relet which consists of a thorough analysis of the problems relating to the investment of Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), funds currently in the possession of our informants, NY 694-S\* and CG 5824-S\*. It was noted that two of the most formidable problems revolve around locating persons to bear the tax liability on such investments and locating someone that we can control to handle the actual investments.

With regard to the taxation problem, it is noted that your office by letter 3/3/65, under the caption, "Solo, IS - C," suggested that this problem could be overcome by investing some of the Party's funds in tax exempt municipal bonds. On that occasion, CG 5824-S\* agreed that this may ultimately be the best course to follow, but wished to reserve judgment pending the possibility of some other alternative being devised in the interim. It is suggested that your office may again desire to take this matter up with CG 5824-S\* to obtain informant's current observations and recommendations as to this course of action.

With regard to the problem of locating someone to handle the actual investment of Party funds, it is suggested that consideration be given to determining the feasibility of utilizing [redacted] in this capacity. It is the Bureau's opinion that [redacted] would be particularly well suited to perform this assignment in view of his position as a wealthy [redacted]. In the event such action is feasible, it would afford [redacted] the opportunity of strengthening his position as an advisor to the Party on financial matters.

2 - New York (134-91)

① - 100-428091 (Solo)

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Letter to Chicago  
Re: CG 5824-S\*  
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This course of action would appear to be much more desirable than having the investment of Party funds under the exclusive control of Lem Harris as suggested in New York letter of 2/18/66.

The Bureau has noted with interest the comments of CG 5824-S\* in relet that he saw no objection to the investment of a portion of Party funds in U. S. Government bonds. Informant noted in that regard that Gus Hall "would not give a care" about the form of investment so long as it brought some return to the Party. Informant noted, however, that because of certain disadvantages the investment of Party funds in U. S. Government bonds should be considered as only a stopgap measure. The Bureau is of the opinion that the investment of Party funds in U. S. Government bonds has tremendous counterintelligence potential in the event the Solo operation terminates. Public disclosure of this fact would place the CPUSA and the CP of the Soviet Union in the untenable position of having contributed to U. S. Government operations and thereby having endorsed U. S. action in Vietnam, the prosecution of the CPUSA, and other matter deemed by the international communist movement to be utterly repulsive. You can well imagine the reaction of Communist China to such a revelation.

The above suggestions are being offered in an effort to resolve some of the problems relating to the investment of Solo funds. Chicago and New York are requested to submit its observations and recommendations relative to these suggestions.

NOTE:

The CPUSA currently has on hand over a million dollars in funds received as a subsidy from the CP of the Soviet Union. These funds are in the possession of NY 694-S\* and CG 5824-S\*. Gus Hall wants these funds invested in order that the Party will receive an income. We have given this matter considerable thought in order to arrive at some course of action which would preclude the Party from receiving a substantial return on its investment and also to see that this

Letter to Chicago  
Re: CG 5824-S\*  
61-7665

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matter is handled in such a way so as not to jeopardize the position of our Solo informants. New York has suggested that NY 694-S\* suggest to Gus Hall that Lem Harris, a dedicated Party member, be designated to handle the investment of Party funds. This is objectionable since such action will place Harris in a favorable position to replace our informants in the funds apparatus should the occasion arise. It is felt that [redacted] offers a better solution to this problem. [redacted] is a member of a [redacted] firm. He is a former Party angel and member of a Wall Street group of the Party.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

DATE: 3/23/66

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

SUBJECT: SOLO  
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On March 17, 1966, CG 5824-S\* advised SA RICHARD W. HANSEN that GUS HALL, General Secretary, Communist Party (CP), USA, had provided him with a letter which he noted had been brought back to the United States from Italy by a recent "traveler." While GUS HALL did not so indicate, this "traveler" was probably [redacted] who had been to Italy and attended the recent Congress of the CP of Italy. This letter had been prepared by a "naturalized citizen" of the United States and requested HALL's assistance in enabling the writer's half-brother, VIRGIL SIMPLICEANU, a resident of Romania, to travel to Turkey to see his mother. HALL's instructions in regard to the letter were that this matter should be taken up with the right people and arrangements be made to do whatever could be done.

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Xerox copies of the above noted letter, which was dated March 3, 1966, Rome, Italy, were made and are attached hereto as pages two and three of this communication.

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- ② - Bureau (RM)
  - 1 - New York (100-134637) (RM)
  - 1 - Chicago

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Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Records Branch

3-28, 1966

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Subject SIMPLICIANU, VIRGIL

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Via Cortina d'Ampezzo 195  
Rome, Italy  
3 March 1966

Mr. Gus Hall, Sec. Gen. U.S. Communist Party  
230 Van Cortlandt Park Ave.  
Yonkers, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Hall:

It was with a deep feeling of satisfaction that I heard the news that your request for a passport has finally been granted. To me, a naturalized citizen, every victory over McCarranism and McCarthyism represents a vindication of the democratic ideals implicit in the U.S. Constitution, and I rejoice over the fact that the Government of the United States no longer denies the right to travel to any of its citizens.

How sad and unfortunate that instances of this sort of arbitrariness still occur in the Socialist countries, from which we have a right to expect an example in progressive, democratic attitudes and actions! I heard that in your application for a passport you mentioned Romania as one of the countries you intend to visit: my half-brother in Romania has for years been trying to obtain a passport, but so far his repeated requests have all been in vain!

Not only is he being prevented from visiting his Mother and his younger brother, who emigrated from Romania to Turkey in 1962; his applications for a passport for the purpose of making vacation-excursion trips to other Socialist countries have also been denied, as have those for the purpose of attending professional meetings of engineers anywhere outside Romania (he is, by profession, a chemical engineer, specialized in the technology of reinforced concrete).

Mr. Hall, you do not know me and have no reason to "stick your neck out" on behalf of perfect strangers; however, having yourself been in the same situation as my half-brother, held almost a captive in your own country, denied the right to leave it even temporarily, you would - better than most people - appreciate the tragic frustration, the mortification and the pain this man has been suffering, particularly at the thought of his aged Mother, whom he may perhaps never see alive again unless someone, somewhere, intervenes on his behalf.

Would you, could you, once you get to Romania mention his case to the people with whom you come in contact? I appeal to you not only in the name of the principles we hold dear but also in the name of humanity and love - this son's love for his Mother, his Mother's love and yearning to see him once more before she dies. His name is Virgil Simpliceanu, domiciled in Bucharest.

Should you consider it necessary to have more information about him, I would be more than happy to tell you whatever I know that may be of use.

I hope I may be forgiven for making this plea to you, and wish to assure you of my sincere gratitude and esteem.

Very truly yours,



(Mrs. Dina Leveillé)

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Date: 3/29/66

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
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On 3/29/66, there was received from the Soviets, via radio, a ciphered-coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"All 5 walky-talky signals on 3/24/66 received O.K. but not so good as it was in morning time. We are ready to start working for evenings beginning from May. Your signal will be call for next day. If you have no confirmation then you repeat your signal next day in the morning. In this case it is a call for the same day."

In view of the fact that the above message was received only at the Bureau, and not locally, NY 694-S\* is being advised that no message was received, and is being instructed to request a repeat transmission of the message.

It is requested that the Chicago Office not disclose to CG 5824-S\* or his wife that the above message was received.

- ③ - BUREAU (100-428091) (RM)  
 1 - CHICAGO (134-46-Sub B) (AM-RM)  
 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
 1 - NY 105-14931-Sub C (NIKOLAI M. TALANOV) (341)  
 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Agent in Charge

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# ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, Chicago (134-46 Sub B)

4/1/66

Director, FBI (100-428091)

1 - Shaw

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INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Your attention is directed to the fact that considerable newspaper publicity has already been afforded the proceedings at the 23rd Congress of the Communist Party (CP) of the Soviet Union. For example, "The New York Times" issue of 3/30/66 contained several articles dealing with the Soviet Congress. One such article contained detailed excerpts from Leonid I. Brezhnev's speech at the opening session of the Soviet Congress. In addition, much information has been made public relating to the failure of the CP of China to send a delegation to the Soviet Congress.

In view of the foregoing, it will be incumbent upon your offices to closely scrutinize all information received from CG 5824-S\* upon his return from Solo Mission 20 in order to ascertain whether any of this information has appeared in the public press. This is necessary in order that the Bureau will not be placed in the embarrassing position of disseminating information under a security classification which has already appeared in the public press.

Any data furnished by CG 5824-S\* which has previously appeared in the press should be specifically pointed out to the Bureau, when such data is being forwarded to the Seat of Government. It is important and essential that you give this matter the closest supervision.

2 - New York (100-134637)

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6 APR 1 1966

## NOTE:

On 3/18/66 CG 5824-S\* departed on Solo Mission 20 to the Soviet Union where informant will represent the CPUSA at the 23rd Congress of the CPSU. The Chicago Office has previously been given authority to subscribe to "The New York Times" in order that it can guard against placing a security classification on information which has appeared in the press.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*RA*  
**Memorandum**

**ROUTE IN ENVELOPE**

*[Signature]*  
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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: March 25, 1966

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner *FJB*

1 - DeLoach  
1 - Sullivan  
1 - Baumgardner  
1 - Shaw

SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

On 3/18/66 CG 5824-S\* departed on Solo Mission 20 to the Soviet Union, where informant will attend the 23rd Congress of the Communist Party, of the Soviet Union scheduled to commence on 3/29/66. Prior to informant's departure, Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA, instructed informant to take up the following matters with the Soviets.

Vietnam Situation

The Communist Party, USA, can no longer raise the issue of negotiations in view of the fact that U. S. troops occupy a large part of South Vietnam. The Party has shifted its tactics and will now emphasize the point of view that a political victory by the Viet Cong is possible and that the U. S. will be compelled to negotiate.

Failure of Gus Hall to Travel Abroad

Soviets are to be told that Hall is unable to travel abroad at this time because he must devote his time to the promotion of the new Party program. It must be emphasized that Hall is a very important public figure in the U. S. and his views on political matters are constantly in demand by the press. Hall definitely intends to visit the Soviet Union after the Party's National Convention in 6/66. Hall does not want to be received by the Soviets as the leader of the Communist Party, USA, but rather as an important public figure from the U. S. Hall feels that this will prevent any stories being published that he was sneaking over to the Soviet Union for consultations. *all*

Role of the Communist Party, USA

The influence of the Party on American society is not to be played down and no specific figures are to be given out relative to Party membership or the circulation of Party publications. The Party's present position is one calling for unity of action between fraternal parties, with "left elements" and with peace forces. *6 APR 5 1966*

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan  
Re: SOLO  
100-428091

Request for Funds

Soviets should be requested to grant the Party a loan of a half million dollars which the Party will repay in ten years. The loan is to be used for investment purposes in order that the Party can derive some income. The Soviets should be told that they are "darn fools" for not setting up an investment agency in the U. S.

Cuban Premier Fidel Castro

It is Hall's opinion that Castro has done an excellent job in regard to China, but is getting too sharp in his criticism. Hall feels that Castro's recent attack on China went too far afield. Hall does not think this is the proper way to fight the Chinese.

OBSERVATION:

In the light of the current international situation, it is felt that this Mission will be unusually significant in providing data of outstanding value.

ACTION:

Since Soviet reaction to these matters is not known, it is deemed judicious to await the return of CG 5824-S\* from his Solo Mission prior to making dissemination of this information. It is also believed that dissemination prior to informant's return may seriously jeopardize his security.

W.A. JAS. [signature] V. [signature] [signature] [signature]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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**Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE**

TO : Mr. Conrad *Jwe*

DATE: March 31, 1966

FROM : *C. F. Downing*

SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

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Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S\* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 3/31/66, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at which time a message, NR 327 GR 43, was intercepted in a garbled condition.

The plain text and cipher text are attached as available with the questioned portions of the plain text underlined.

The New York Office is aware of the contents.

ACTION:

For information.

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**Enclosure**

- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
- 1 - Mr. Newpher
- 1 - Mr. Paddock

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NR 327 GR 43

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94394 64--6 48285 7942- -8-18 57522 3300- ----- 95623 51--2  
46347 5772- 79315

WE AGREE WITH YOUR PROPOSAL ON SISTERS EXCEPT SISTER KATE,  
THAT SHOULD BE EXCLUDED. PLEASE CHECK SISTER JENNY'S  
ADDRESS. WE THINK IT SHOULD BE # 2?? # SAME STREET. - -

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FBI

Date: 3/31/66

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
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On 3/31/66, there was received from the Soviets, via radio, a ciphered - coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"We agree with your proposal on Sisters, except Sister Kate, that should be excluded. Please check Sister Jenny's address. We think it should be # 2 - # same street."

In view of the fact that the above message was not received solidly at the Bureau nor locally, NY 694-S\* is being instructed to request a repeat transmission of the message.

3-Bureau (100-428091) (RM)  
 1-Chicago (134-46 Sub B) (AM RM)  
 1-NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
 1-NY 105-14931 Sub C (NIKOLAI M. TALANOV) (341)  
 1-NY 100-134637 (41)

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6 APR 5 1966

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

65 APR 7 1966 Special Agent in Charge

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## ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 3/28/66

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
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NY 694-S\* has advised that shortly before CG 5824-S\* went to the Soviet Union, GUS HALL gave to NY 694-S\* - for transmittal to the Soviets - an envelope addressed to Mrs. E.A. FURTSEVA, Minister of Culture of the Soviet Union. The envelope contained a letter dated 12/30/65, addressed to Mrs. FURTSEVA and signed by EMMY LOU PACKARD (Mrs. BYRON RANDALL); a letter dated 7/27/65, addressed to the Moscow Conservatory of Music; an unsigned letter dated 12/20/65, addressed to MIKHAIL KOTOV of the Soviet Peace Committee in Moscow; a clipping from the San Francisco Chronicle dated 11/15/65, concerning EMMY LOU PACKARD, the title of which is "A Bay Artist Views Indonesia"; a letter dated 1/19/66, addressed to "To Whom It May Concern" signed by WILLIAM CORBETT JONES, ostensibly the music teacher of EMMY LOU PACKARD; a letter dated 1/65, addressed to "To Whom It May Concern" signed by Maestro GIULIO SILVA, ostensibly another music teacher of [redacted]; the birth certificate of [redacted]; report card from Mendocino Union High School; a letter of commendation to [redacted] from the National Merit Scholarship Program; a note which, according to NY 694-S\*, ostensibly was sent by the CP of San Francisco to GUS HALL.

- 3 - BUREAU (100-428091) (Encls. 12) (RM)  
 1 - CHICAGO (134-46-Sub B) (Encls. 12) (AM-RM)  
 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
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Approved: [Signature]  
 Special Agent in Charge

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and a chronology of piano study of [redacted]  
Copies of the aforementioned documents are enclosed  
herewith for the Bureau and Chicago.

NY 694-S\* advised further that instead of  
transmitting these documents to the Soviets by his usual  
closed channel, he gave them to CG 5824-S\* for delivery  
to Mrs. E.A. FURTEVA, mentioned above, in Moscow.

*Count 11 pages of Doc 5  
Mentioned in C. 17*  
The above described documents reflect that  
EMMY LOU PACKARD and her husband, BYRON RANDALL, were in  
Moscow in the summer of 1965 as guests of the Soviet  
Peace Committee and spoke with a Mrs. ZDOVNOV about the  
possibility of [redacted] studying at the Moscow  
Conservatory of Music. Information in NY files regarding  
EMMY LOU PACKARD and BYRON RANDALL is limited, but it  
appears that BYRON RANDALL had been a member of an  
American group of Marxists who resided in Mexico in 1955.  
EMMY LOU PACKARD has been identified as having been a guest  
of the Soviet Peace Committee in 1965 together with her  
husband, BYRON RANDALL. *Byron Theodore Randall*

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NY 694-S\* stated that his information regarding  
the above/limited to the facts stated in the note from the  
San Francisco CP to GUS HALL. This note states "Emmy Lou  
had discussed this matter in the Soviet Union. She was  
involved in some kind of cultural exchange there. When the  
Children's Craft and Cultural Exchange was in S.F. the people  
in charge asked her to get an Ok from you - that this would  
be very helpful and could even be decisive."

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"Besides his musical ability, [redacted] also want  
him to be committed to study because he will be 18 in June  
and eligible for the draft."

The above information is being transmitted to the  
San Francisco Office by separate communication.



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APOR

EMMY LOU PACKARD • BYRON RANDALL

COAST HIGHWAY ONE, MENDOCINO, CALIFORNIA

December 30, 1965

Mrs. E. A. Furtseva,  
Ministry of Culture,  
Moscow, USSR

Dear Mrs. Furtseva:

When my husband and I were in Moscow last summer, as guests of the Soviet Peace Committee, we spoke with Mr. Zdobnov about the possibility of [redacted] studying at the Moscow Conservatory of Music. [redacted] is finishing highschool this spring and is most anxious to go to the Soviet Union to study music if this can be arranged.

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Mr. Zdobnov thought [redacted] wasn't advanced enough to study at the Conservatory yet, but that he might perhaps enter a lower music school until he can qualify for entrance at the Conservatory. He suggested that we send [redacted] school and music records to Moscow, and that we also send another recording of his piano technique to be compared with the tape we left with Mr. Zdobnov last summer.

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[redacted] placed in the top two percent of the highschool seniors in the National Merit Scholarship Test. His grades and comments by his music teachers are enclosed. We deeply appreciate any consideration you can give us in this matter.

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Very sincerely yours,

*Emmy Lou Packard*

Emmy Lou Packard  
(Mrs. Byron Randall)

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July 27, 1965

To the Moscow Conservatory of Music:

We would like to apply for admission of [redacted] to the Moscow Conservatory, after his graduation from highschool in June 1966. He is 17 years old, and has been studying piano and composition for the past five years. He is a highly talented and intelligent boy, a disciplined worker. He is most anxious to study at the Conservatory because of the excellent training he knows it gives.

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We can supply a tape recording of [redacted] playing at the present time, and records of his progress in composition as well as other subjects. His grades in all subjects have been high. He has a working knowledge of French, and a facility for learning that would enable him to pick up Russian quickly.

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Thanking you in advance for your consideration in this matter, we remain

Very truly yours,

Byron and Emmy Lou Randall

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December 20, 1965

Mikhail Kotov,  
Soviet Peace Committee,  
10 Kropotkinskaya  
Moscow, USSR

Dear Mr. Kotov:

I have just had the pleasure of taking Andre I. Plotnov and Mark Abramov around San Francisco to see some of our art and life. They made many drawings which perhaps you'll see. I also met Alexander Pobedinsky, the designer of the Soviet Children's Exhibition now in San Francisco, and all this reminded me of the pleasant visit we had in Moscow last summer.

I have been busy lecturing on peace, Helsinki, Moscow, and Indonesia, and am enclosing some clippings. My trip to Djakarta as a representative of Women Strike for Peace was most interesting. I am doing all I can now to encourage expression of feeling here about our role in Vietnam. The color pictures I took of all these places, including some nice ones of Moscow and Georgia, make my talks more vivid.

With sincere hope for peace in the  
new year I remain

Yours sincerely,

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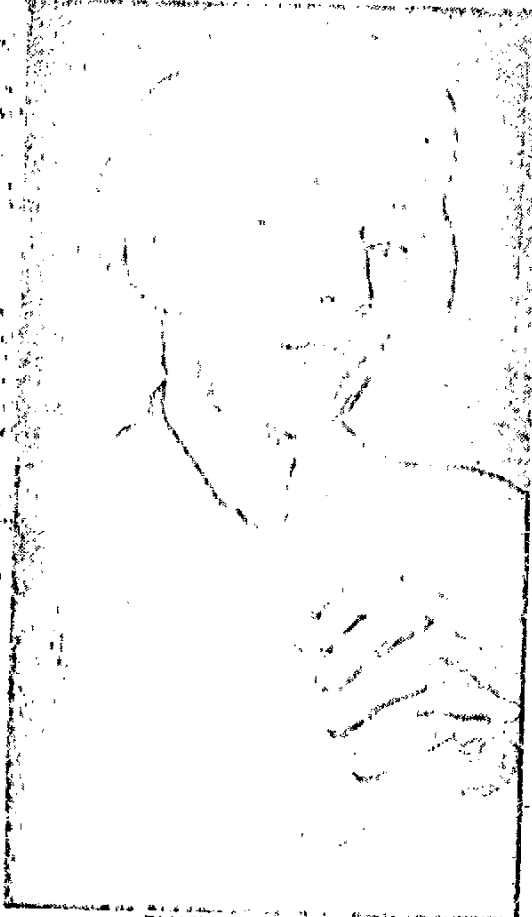
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## Pessimistic



EMMY LOU PACKARD

"We seem to be losing the peoples of the world"

### Strife and Beauty

## A Bay Artist

## Views Indonesia

By James Benet

An eye-witness account of the current situation in strife-torn Indonesia was brought back last week by a prominent Bay area artist.

Emmy Lou Packard whose works adorn many local homes and public buildings, also returned with a pessimistic view that United States influence is waning in the Eastern world. But she was full of enthusiasm for the beauties of Indonesia and the extraordinary artistic creativity of its people.

Miss Packard went to Indonesia representing the Women's International Strike for Peace—as an observer only, she stressed—at a conference of peace organizations, chiefly of Asia and Africa. Her Indonesian hosts, she said, were very chagrined that the explosive events in which four generals were assassinated occurred during the conference.

#### "ACCIDENT"

They referred to it as "the accident," and told a tangled story of plans and attempts at coups and counter-coups, she said, with the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency backing one army faction and the Communists the other.

But whatever went on behind the scenes, Miss Packard saw the evidences of extreme tension and danger. She had an armed jeep escort wherever she went, she reported, and when the delegates visited Indonesian President Sukarno at his palace they went through barbed wire to get there, and saw tanks stationed around it.

Reports of the Communist party being outlawed were exaggerated, she believes, since on visiting Bali she saw Young Communists peacefully participating in parades. And the Indonesians told her that to outlaw them would probably cause civil war.

#### HOSTILITY

Sukarno is playing a remarkably skillful part in preserving a balance among the Communists, the even larger religious parties, and the military, she concluded.

She and her fellow-observer, Mrs. Philip Stern of Miami Beach, Fla., encountered great bitterness and hostility among the other delegates, she said.

"Many refused to talk to us at first," she reported. "And when they did, they asked angrily, 'What are you doing here?'"

"I think Vietnam has done more to consolidate these people against us than anything else we've ever done."

"Our military might doesn't win friends. We seem to be losing the peoples of the world."

#### GAUGUIN

There were South Vietnamese delegates at the meeting,

she said, and they expressed confidence of ultimate military victory and declared that U.S. bombing has simply increased resistance among the Vietnamese.

The happier part of her trip was a visit to Bali and other parts of Indonesia for several days after the conference concluded on October 20.

"Gauguin should have seen it before he went to Tahiti," said Miss Packard, whose work has sometimes been compared with that of the great French painter Paul Gauguin.

"It's pure Gauguin country."

#### HANDICRAFTS

The mountains terraced with rice paddies are marvelous to see, she commented, and equally impressive is the apparent ability of everyone to produce beautiful arts and handicrafts — batik, wood carvings, masks and other works.

"It's a country of 3000 islands, stretching as far as from Maine to California," she said. "It's mostly agricultural, and President Sukarno has encouraged the development of handicraft workshops for off-season income."

As a non-Communist country, Indonesia also tries to play the part of mediator in bringing people from all parts of the divided world together to discuss world problems, she said, and that was how the conference of the peace organizations came about.



*Teacher's recommendation*

January 1966

To whom it may concern:

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[redacted] who has studied with me for the past four and one-half years, is in my opinion a young man of most unusual musical and intellectual endowment. His approach to music is fresh and creative, and yet is based on musical common sense. He also possesses the gift of self-discipline and does not take his artistic responsibilities lightly. His pianistic development has been impressive and convinces me that he will eventually be a first class pianist.

(signed) William Corbett Jones

Notes on William Corbett Jones:

William Corbett Jones, brilliant American pianist, was born in Manila in 1929. His teachers have included Alexander Lieberman, Lili Kraus, and principally, Adolph Baller. For three consecutive years he was recipient of the coveted Alfred Hertz Memorial Scholarship in Music from the University of California. He is now on the faculty of the San Francisco Conservatory of Music. Since his debut in 1954 at the San Francisco Museum of Art, Mr Jones has concertized widely throughout the United States, Hawaii, and Europe, both as recitalist and with orchestra. He has appeared six times as soloist with the San Francisco Symphony. He possesses a remarkably large and varied repertoire, which, in addition to most of the romantic literature, encompasses such formidable works as the Bach Goldberg Variations, Art of the Fugue, Inventions, Beethoven Hammerklavier Sonata, and most of the sonatas of Mozart and Schubert.

Excerpts from the press:

"a first-rate talent...superb playing.."

John Voorhees, Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

"...William Corbett Jones had the daring, the musicianship and the ability to give a splendid performance to that colossus (the Goldberg Variations)..."

Alfred F. Frankenstein, San Francisco Chronicle

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*Teacher's recommendation*

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

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[REDACTED] has studied Harmony, Counterpoint and Composition under my instruction for more than two years.

Noticing, since my first examination, his very good musical disposition and aptitude for composition, I started him in the rudiments of Harmony and Counterpoint. His progress, since the beginning, has been very rapid through his exceptional diligence in study, and his natural talent.

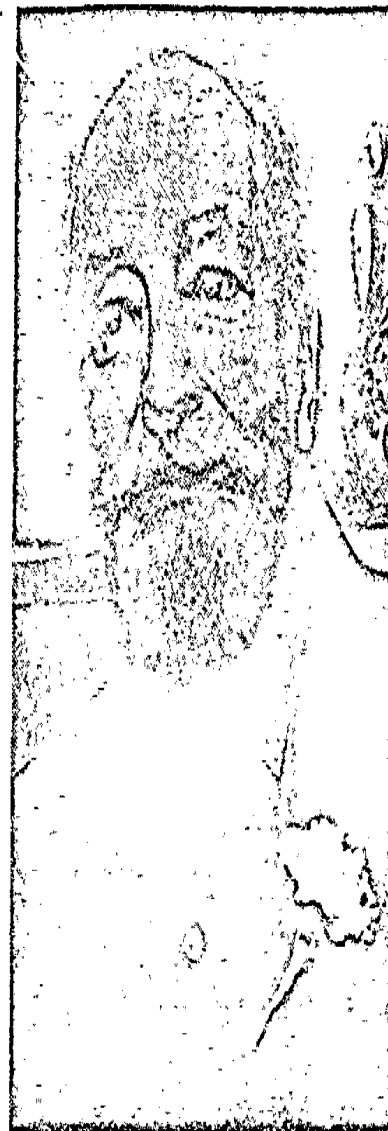
Now he is progressing farther in the study and practice of advanced Harmony, Counterpoint and Fugue, instrumentation, forms and free composition of vocal and instrumental music.

I shall recommend him highly as an exceptionally diligent and talented student.

*Giulio Silva*

Maestro Giulio Silva

January, 1965



Dr. Giulio Silva, internationally-known musician and voice teacher, celebrated his 90th birthday yesterday surrounded by devoted pupils, past and present, and a coterie of admiring friends.

Silva, dressed in a smart blue lounge coat, was honored at his home

in Novato with a champagne toast proposed by tenor James Schwabacher, a former pupil and head of the Spring Opera in San Francisco.

Silva still teaches at the San Francisco Conservatory of Music, which he joined when it was established 39 years ago.

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# Mendocino Union High School

## REPORT CARD OF

NAME	Grade 7 Year 1962 to 1963										Teacher
SUBJECTS	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	1st Sem.	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	2nd Sem.					
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1. Spanish I	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-					
2. Science 9	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-					
3. English 9	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-					
4. Study	- A 3	- A 3		- A 3	- A 3						
5. Soc Studies 9	B+ B 4	A A 6	A-	A A 6	A A 6	A					
6. Algebra I	H A 6	H A 6	H	H A 6	H A 6	H					
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# Mendocino Union High School

## REPORT CARD OF

NAME	Grade 10 Year 1963 to 1964										Teacher
SUBJECTS	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	1st Sem.	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	2nd Sem.					
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1. Study	A 3	- A 3		A 3	- A 3						
2. English 10	A A 6	B+ A 5	A-	H A 6	A- A 6	A-					
3. Geometry	H A 6	A A 6	H	B+ B 5	H A 6	H					
4. World History	A A 6	A A 6	A	H- A 6	A A 6	A					
5. Biology	B+ B 4	A- A 6	A-	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-					
6. French I	B- A 5	A- A 6	B-	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-					
7. P.E.	B+ A 5	B+ A 5	B+	B- A 5	B+ A 5	B					
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# Mendocino Union High School

## REPORT CARD OF

NAME	Grade 11 Year 1964 to 1965										Teacher
SUBJECTS	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	1st Sem.	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	2nd Sem.					
	Grade Cnt. Pts.	Grade Cnt. Pts.	Av. Grade	Grade Cnt. Pts.	Grade Cnt. Pts.	Av. Grade					
1. Adv. Algebra	H A 6	H A 6	H	A- A 6	A A 6	H					
2. Physics	A- B 5	B+ B 4	B+	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-					
3. Study	B 2	A 3		A 3							
4. French II	A- B 5	A- A 6	A-	A- A 6	A- A 6	A-					
5. U.S. History	A- B 5	A- A 6	A-	A- A 6	A A 6	A					
6. English	A- B 5	A- A 6	A-	B+ A 5	B+ A 5	B+					
7. P.E.	B A 5	B A 5	B	B A 5	B A 5	B					
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# Mendocino Union High School report card

		.....grade 12.....year 1965 to 1966	
1. Chemistry	A		
2. Advanced Social Studies	A-		
3. Typing	A-		
4. Advanced English	B+		
5. study hall			
6. Trigonometry	B+		
7. Physical education	B		
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DISTRICT NO. 3901 REGISTRAR'S NO. 7811

1. FULL NAME OF CHILD [REDACTED]		Maiden Surname of Mother [REDACTED]	
2. PLACE OF BIRTH CITY AND COUNTY OF <b>SAN FRANCISCO</b>		3. USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER (a) STATE <b>California</b> (b) COUNTY <b>San Francisco</b> (c) CITY OR TOWN <b>San Francisco</b> (d) STREET AND NUMBER [REDACTED]	
(1) NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <b>Mount Zion Hospital</b>		(A) LENGTH OF RESIDENCE IN CALIFORNIA YEARS MONTHS DAYS <b>6</b>	
(2) MOTHER'S STAY BEFORE DELIVERY IN HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <b>21104</b> IN THIS COMMUNITY <b>6 yrs</b>		(C) CITY OR TOWN <b>San Francisco</b> YEARS MONTHS DAYS <b>6</b>	
4. SEX <b>Male</b>	5. THIN OR TAIPEET	6. NUMBER OF MONTHS OF PREGNANCY <b>9</b>	7. DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED]
FATHER OF CHILD		NOT b6 b7C CHILD	
8. FULL NAME [REDACTED]	9. COLOR OR RACE <b>White</b>	10. AGE AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH <b>30</b>	11. LENGTH OF RESIDENCE IN CALIFORNIA <b>6</b>
12. BIRTHPLACE <b>Tacoma, Washington</b>	13. USUAL OCCUPATION <b>Seaman</b>	14. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS <b>Merchant Marine</b>	15. FULL MAIDE NAME [REDACTED]
16. BIRTHPLACE <b>New York, New York</b>	17. AGE AT TIME OF THIS BIRTH <b>33</b>	18. USUAL OCCUPATION <b>Housewife</b>	19. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS <b>Own Home</b>
20. CHILDREN BORN TO THIS MOTHER: (a) NOW MANY OTHER CHILDREN OF THIS MOTHER ARE NOW LIVING <b>1</b> (b) NOW MANY OTHER CHILDREN WERE BORN ALIVE BUT ARE NOW DEAD <b>0</b> (c) NOW MANY CHILDREN WERE BORN DEAD <b>0</b>	21. MOTHER'S MAILING ADDRESS FOR REGISTRAR <b>San Francisco, California</b>		
22. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I ATTENDED THE BIRTH OF CHILD WHO WAS BORN ALIVE AT THE HOUR OF <b>10:10A</b> M. ON <b>1</b> ABOVE STATED AND THAT THE INFORMATION GIVEN WAS FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] RELATED TO THIS [REDACTED]			
23. DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR		24. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE	
25. GIVEN NAME ADDED		26. (a) PREGNANCY, COMPLICATIONS OF: <b>none</b> (b) LABOR, COMPLICATIONS OF: <b>none</b> (c) WAS THERE AN OPERATION FOR DELIVERY? <b>yes</b> STATE ALL OPERATIONS <b>episiotomy</b> (d) WAS A PROPHYLACTIC DRUG USED IN THE BIRTH OF THE CHILD? <b>yes</b> IF YES, STATE DRUG <b>Ag NO2 15</b>	
27. (e) DID THE BABY HAVE ANY CONGENITAL MALFORMATION? <b>none</b> DESCRIBE: <b>none</b> (f) WAS A SEROLOGICAL TEST MADE FOR SYPHILIS IN THIS MOTHER? <b>yes</b> IF SO, AT WHAT PERIOD OF GESTATION? <b>5</b> MOS IF NOT, WHY NOT?		28. (g) BIRTH INJURY? <b>none</b> DESCRIBE: <b>none</b>	

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

## CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY  
U. S. Public Health Service

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT, IF BEARING THE SEAL OF THE SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THE DOCUMENT FILED IN THIS OFFICE.

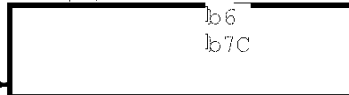
NO. **114**  
DATED: **1/4**  
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

J.C. GEIGER, M.D.  
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND LOCAL REGISTRAR  
BY  
DEPUTY REGISTRAR

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# NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

## LETTER OF COMMENDATION



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*for outstanding performance on the  
National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test in 1965*

We are proud to charge you to continue your educational development through higher education.

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**MENDOCINO HIGH SCHOOL**

**District Superintendent**

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You are one of 38,000 students being awarded this Letter of Commendation on the basis of your scores on the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. This test was taken by more than 795,000 students in over 17,600 schools in the spring of 1965.

Your test performance places you among the top two percent of this year's secondary school seniors and indicates outstanding ability to do successful college work. You have brought credit to yourself and to your school.

The colleges which you named as your first and second choices when you took the qualifying test have been notified of your high standing in the Merit Program. If you wish to inform additional colleges of your Commended student status, you or an official of your school should notify the institutions directly.

Your school and the National Merit Scholarship Corporation join in this commendation, which is given with the hope that you will continue to develop your talents through further education.

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approximate chronology of piano study

1961 Haydn-Sonata No. 20 in F  
Sonata No. 14 in D  
Mozart-Sonata No. 12 K.332  
Sonata No. 15 K.545  
Allegro in B flat  
Debussy-Preludes 1, 8, and 12 from Book 1  
Mendelssohn-Song without words op. 19 No. 6  
\* Schubert-various movements from easy sonatas-such as  
the middle movements of op. 14 No. 1, and the  
Andante from op. 14 No. 2, and the Sonatinas in  
G and F  
Schubert-various waltzes and Laendler  
Scarlatti-Sonatas L.423, L.97, L.58, and L.413  
J.S. Bach-most of the little preludes and many galant  
pieces from the Anna Magdalena Notebook  
Chopin-Preludes in A op.28 No. 7, in e op. 28, in c op.  
28 No. 20, in b op. 28 No. 6  
Mazurka op. 67 No. 2  
Mazurka op. 7 No. 2  
Bartok-most of the pieces from "For Children"  
Schumann-Soldiers March  
Of Foreign lands and People  
Wild Horsemen  
Handa-el-Sarabande and Variations in d  
In addition I studied many pieces by early composers such  
as Byrd, L. Couperin, Purcell, Farnaby, etc.

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approximate chronology of piano study

1963- 1962 Bach-complete: 2-part inventions

Sinfonias No. 2, 3, and 11

Italian Concerto

English Suite No. 6 in E

Prelude and fugue No. 20 from Book 2, W.T.C.

Beethoven-Sonata No. 1, in f

Sonata No. 8, in c

Bagatelles No. 1, op. 33

No. 3, op. 33

No. 2 op. 119

Liszt-Etude, "Un Sospiro"

Debussy-Préludes No. 7 and 8 from Book 2

Préludes No. 6, 7, and 10 from Book 1.

Ravel-Minuet and Forlane from "Le Tombeau de Couperin"

Brahms-Rhapsody op. 119 No. 4

Rhapsody op. 79 No. 2

Intermezzo op. 117 No. 1

op. 118 No. 2

Schubert-Impromptu No. 2 Seite 45

Prokofieff-Paysage op. 59 No. 2

Prelude op. 12 No. 7

Vision Fugitives No. 1, 10, 11 and 18

Schumann-op 2 Papillons

Scarlatti-Sonatas L. 449

L. 104

L. 352

Chopin-Preludes No. 3, 17, and 20

Nocturnes-op. 27 No. 2

Mazurkas-op. 7 No. 2

op. 17 No. 4

op. 50 No. 3

Polonaise No. 2 in E flat minor

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approximate chronology of piano study

- 1964-65
- Schumann-Sonata No. 2 in g minor
    - Carnival Jest from Vienna op. 26
  - Schubert-Sonata op 42
  - Haydn-Fantasia in C major
    - Capriccio in G major
  - Mozart-Variations on "Come un Agnello" by Sarti
    - Sonata No. 8 in a minor
    - Sonata No. 13 in B flat
  - Kabalevesky-Sonata No. 3, 1st and 2nd movements
  - Chopin-Nocturne op. 37 No. 1
    - Mazurka No.s 15 op.24 No. 2
    - 3 op.6 No. 3
    - 42 op. 67 No. 1
    - 47 op.68 No. 2
  - Impromptu No. 2 in F sharp major
  - Liszt-Spinning Song from "Flying Dutchman" by Wagner
  - Debussy-Hommage à Rameau
  - Ravel-Sonatine pour le piano
  - Bartok-3 Rondos on Folk Tunes
    - Improvisations op.20
    - Roumanian Dance No. 1 op. 8a
  - Bach-Toccatà and Fugue in c minor
    - Prelude and Fugue in a minor transcribed by Liszt
    - Preludes and Fugues No. 6 and 16 from Book 1
    - No. 5 from Book 2
  - Beethoven-Sonata No. 3, No. 17, No. 27
  - Bagatelles No. 1 op. 33, No.3 op.33, No. 2 op 119



My exercises have consisted primarily of Hanon and Pischna. I play through complete scales, octaves and arpeggios by alternation every 3 days, generally devoting one hour and a quarter to technique every day.

I am now practicing about four and three-quarters hours a day, but only practiced an hour a day when I started, gradually working up to my present amount.

My lessons have been one every two weeks except during the summer, when I have weekly lessons.

I am now working on Mozarts C minor concerto and Beethovens 3rd piano concerto.

# ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

FBI

Date: 3/30/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
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On 3/29/66, NY 694-S\* furnished the following information to SA ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON:

On the afternoon of 3/28/66, ARNOLD JOHNSON informed NY 694-S\* that on Friday, 3/25/66, a number of telephone calls had been received from Moscow, demanding that GUS HALL go immediately to Moscow and that the CP, USA delegation consisting of HENRY WINSTON, JAMES JACKSON and HY LUMER go to Moscow as soon as possible, avoiding any stop-overs in London or Paris, as may have been previously scheduled.

JOHNSON stated that on Friday, "the panic button was pressed" and that immediate attempts were made to arrange that the CP, USA delegation go to Moscow immediately as requested by the Soviets. The only one, however, who was able to go directly to Moscow was HY LUMER.

Over the weekend of 3/25 - 28/66, GUS HALL was under constant pressure - particularly by a correspondent of "Tass" to go to Moscow immediately. Despite this pressure, HALL adamantly refused to go, stating that "he could not and would not go." JOHNSON further advised that on Monday, 3/28/66, HALL conferred telephonically with HY LUMER, who was in Moscow. LUMER indicated to HALL that "everything was under control."

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 1-Chicago (134-46 Sub B) (AM RM)  
 1-NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
 1-NY 100-134637 (41)

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

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In connection with HALL's telephonic communication with LUMER, it is to be noted that according to NY 2010-S\* on 3/27/66 HALL reportedly was told by LUMER that he had discussed various problems in Moscow and there was apparently no reason for changing plans. (It is believed this may have referred to HALL's decision not to go to Moscow.) HALL, reportedly inquired whether there had been any reaction in Moscow to the greetings he had sent to LEONID ILYICH BREZHNEV, First Secretary of the CCCPSU, in connection with the 23rd Congress of the CCCPSU to be held in Moscow on 3/29/66. (Re greetings, see New York airtel 3/25/66.) HALL then instructed LUMER to be sure to include "those two sentences". (As reflected in New York airtel 3/25/66, HALL sent a greeting to BREZHNEV via NY 694-S\*'s closed channel. After the greetings had been sent to the Soviets by NY 694-S\*, according to NY 694-S\*, HALL decided that two sentences be added to the greeting. The sentences were to follow the end of paragraph two, on page three of the message, as reported in referenced airtel. These sentences were, "The struggle for unity is the struggle for a proletarian internationalism. A rejection of unity in struggle is the rejection of proletarian internationalism".

HALL made further inquiries of LUMER with respect to whether or not the delegates had arrived as yet in Moscow, and was advised that some of them had been "stranded" on the way, but would arrive momentarily. HALL further instructed that HY LUMER return to the USA as soon as possible before the 22nd of April, which is the rescheduled date for a National Board meeting originally scheduled to be held in New York City on the weekend of 4/2 -4/66. HALL advised LUMER that he desired that the latter be in New York to work on the CP, USA Draft Resolution, which must be completed in time for presentation at the aforesaid National Board meeting.

HALL also inquired with respect to the Soviet reaction to his letter of greeting to BREZHNEV. LUMER reportedly stated that "informally" the reaction had been

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good, but as yet the greetings had not been "officially" submitted to the Soviets.

NY 694-S\* further advised that on the evening of 3/28/66, he visited GUS HALL at the latter's home and found HALL in a particularly vicious mood. He referred to the fact that several phone calls had been received from Moscow insisting that he attend the aforementioned 23rd Congress of the CCCPSU and that he had been further "pressured" by a Tass correspondent to go to Moscow. He was particularly disturbed by reason of the fact that as a result of telephone calls and pressure from the Tass correspondent, he had a "garbled" understanding of what was happening. He said he could not understand why the Soviets had not contacted him in this respect through NY 694-S\*'s closed channel. HALL proceeded to excoriate the Soviets and the Italians saying that it was very likely a good idea that he did not go to the Congress because, if he had, he would tell them that they do not have "the correct line as regards the Vietnamese war", and that the CP, USA is the only Communist Party which does have the correct line with regard to the Vietnamese war. HALL further advised the informant that he intended to have his letter to BREZHNEV published in "The Worker", since the said letter incorporated the reasons why he was not going to Moscow at this time. Referring to several newspaper articles that he had read which suggested that upon arrival in Moscow HALL probably would be "disciplined" and given "the pink slip", HALL stated that he believed that these articles were the work of "JOHN GATES and the Fuller Brush Boys". (JOHN GATES and the FBI).

With respect to the information above concerning HALL's being pressured by a Tass correspondent, it was interesting to note the following:

According to [redacted] HARRY FREEMAN of the Tass New York Office was in contact on 3/24/66, with ERIC BERT of "The Worker". FREEMAN allegedly asked BERT whether

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GUS HALL was still in the US, as there was a rumor, reported by their Washington Office of Tass, to the effect that HALL had made a speech abroad. BERT reportedly advised that HALL at that time was still in the US, and suggested that FREEMAN contact ARNOLD JOHNSON at CP Headquarters with regard to this matter.

The above informant further advised that subsequently FREEMAN contacted ARNOLD JOHNSON in this regard and was advised that HALL was still in New York.

Also, according to the aforesaid informant, FREEMAN later contacted the Tass Office in Washington, D.C., and advised one "PETRUSCENKO" (phonetic) that HALL was still in the US. Upon PETRUSCENKO's inquiry whether HALL had any plans to leave, FREEMAN allegedly stated that he didn't know and did not wish to make any inquiries with regard to this matter.

On 3/25/66, according to [redacted] ART SHIELDS in Moscow, contacted HY LUMER. LUMER told SHIELDS of the scheduled flight plans he had to Moscow. Later in the day ART SHIELDS again contacted LUMER, according to [redacted] and SHIELDS suggested that there be no delay in the departure of the delegation due to the bad weather conditions abroad.

On 3/26/66, [redacted] reported that LEONID PONOMORAV (phonetic), of the New York Tass Office, contacted SYLVIA (believed to be SYLVIA THOMPSON) at "The Worker" Office and stated that he needed her help. He asked that she ascertain for him the names of the three individuals who were en route to Moscow. SYLVIA advised PONOMORAV that she was not aware of the identities of these persons, but that she felt that CARL WINTER would have this information.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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**Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE**

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Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Wick \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
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Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*  
FROM : G. F. Downing  
SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

DATE: April 4, 1966

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S\* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 4/4/66, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at which time two messages, NR 874 GR 62 and NR 875 GR 50, were intercepted.

The plain text and cipher text are attached.

The New York Office is aware of the contents.

ACTION:

For information.

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**ENCLOSURE**  
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- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
- 1 - Mr. Newpher
- 1 - Mr. Paddock

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20209 47196 10709 52309 57132 30292 61926 38328 70560 77548  
07462 80128 20221 35628 26987 54795 06077 57938 14020 81243  
01241 55516 38265 96605 97616 85514 82011 02576 52895 17247  
50714 56944 33522 88882 75645 75004 60119 58196 66618 43432  
61618 25964 50381 54136 80352 78204 62987 78993 84709 87216  
95084 66821

NR 874 GR 62

4/ 4/66

WE RECEIVED YOUR CALLS TO GIRLS <sup>N</sup>02 MARCH #30# AND APRIL #1# A  
ND VISITED GIRL ONE ON MARCH #31# AND GIRLS ONE AND TWO ON APRI  
L #2#. NO MESSAGE WAS RECEIVED. IF NECESSARY CONFIRM THIS ME  
SSAGE TODAY AND WE <sup>WILL</sup> BEAT GIRL #2# TOMORROW.

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NR 875 GR 50

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98411 60029 78511 61295 82663 89597 56152 45423 48301 96129  
93795 40315 11454 21018 60919 31954 22244 77094 64617 59845  
65832 88512 17182 06466 55713 31724 55423 42610 55177 15162  
24488 38385 48199 32537 62576 54503 90107 89791 61206 71538  
48662 47294 01757 19120 89170 31244 05280 52771 15164 98180

NR 875 GR 50

4/ 4/66

TO BIRCH. ASK CAN CAPON APRIL 29 DIRECT FROM ISRAEL. ISRAE  
L. MESSAGE TO CONGRESS ON UNITY RECEIVED ENTHUSIASTICALLY  
PUBLISHED IN SUNDAYS PRAXDA PRAXDA TOGETHER WITH MINNIES  
SPEECH. HUB..

\* As in text. Could be "ASH".

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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**Memorandum**

**ROUTE IN ENVELOPE**

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Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: April 1, 1966

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner *BB*

1 - DeLoach  
1 - Sullivan  
1 - Baumgardner  
1 - Shaw

SUBJECT: *SOLO*

INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

*Baumgardner*

You will recall that Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA, recently received a passport. There was immediate speculation that Hall intended to travel to Moscow, Russia, in order to represent the Communist Party, USA, at the 23rd Congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union, which convened on 3/29/66. However, Hall decided not to travel to Moscow primarily because he now has a free hand in running the Communist Party, USA, and did not desire to risk having any restrictions imposed on him by the Soviets. Hall sent a message to the Soviets via CG 5824-S\* who left for Moscow on 3/18/66. In that message Hall told the Soviets he would be unable to attend the Soviet Congress because it was necessary for him to devote full time to the promotion of new program of the Communist Party, USA.

New York airtel 3/30/66, disclosed that NY 694-S\* was in contact with Hall on 3/28/66. On that occasion informant found Hall in a very vicious mood. Hall was incensed over the fact that he had received several phone calls from Moscow insisting that he attend the Soviet Party Congress. In addition, Hall claimed that he had been "pressured" by a Tass (Soviet News Agency) correspondent to go to Moscow. Hall was particularly irritated over the fact that the Soviets chose to contact him openly rather than through the clandestine Solo communication apparatus.

Hall proceeded to excoriate the Soviets noting that it was lucky for them that he did not go to the Soviet Party Congress because, if he had, he would have told them that they are following the wrong line toward the Vietnam situation and that the Communist Party, USA, is the only communist party following the correct line.

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan  
Re: SOLO  
100-428091

OBSERVATIONS:

Information we have received from other sources fails to substantiate the allegations made by Hall that he has been pressured to go to Moscow. It is known that Hall conferred telephonically with Hy Lumer who was in Moscow as a member of the Communist Party, USA, delegation to the Soviet Party Congress. Lumer indicated to Hall that "everything was under control." Hall inquired as to what was the reaction of the Soviets to his message that he would not be attending the Soviet Congress. Lumer replied that the message had not been officially submitted to the Soviets as yet. With respect to the inquiry made by a Tass representative, it is known that the Tass representative merely inquired of Arnold Johnson, Public Relations Director, CPUSA, as to whether Hall was in the United States or the Soviet Union.

ACTION:

For information. No dissemination is being made inasmuch as it appears that Hall has deliberately misinformed NY 694-S\* and dissemination could jeopardize the security of this informant.

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Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: April 4, 1966

FROM : *Mc* C. F. Downing

SUBJECT: *SOLO*  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

On 4/4/66, the New York Office furnished the text of a message which the informant desired to send and requested that it be enciphered. The cipher text was furnished to New York on the same day.

The plain text and cipher text are attached.

ACTION:

For information.

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Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
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REFEREE COACH. PLEASE HAND THIS TUG TO HUB. STEP UN IN CULT  
URAL ATTACHE FROM NEST CASHIER FAIR. SAW CARP AND TOLD HER CO  
LOUR PRINTS FOR CARP WERE RECEIVED AND ON HAND. HE ALSO SAID T  
HAT #30 COLOUR PRINTS WERE ALWAYS THE CORRECT AMOUNT FOR TH  
E YEAR. HE SAID THAT A NEST REFEREE MEMBER WAS IN COVE THREE WE  
EKS AGO AND TOLD HIM THIS. IT IS DIFFICULT FOR ME TO BELIEVE TH  
IS FOR IT PUTS ME AND OUR REFEREE IN A BAD LIGHT. \*BAD LIGHT. TH  
ESE FACTS MUST BE ASCERTAINED ONCE AND FOR ALL IMMEDIATELY.  
AWAIT YOUR REPLY. BIRCH.

NR 0000 GR 127

04/04/66

84352 46944 41577 96840 66587 62104 45809 66978 07293 46152  
00467 58574 13801 66398 27643 83950 33674 09875 42147 82223  
71787 75314 55546 06023 06972 78007 18579 48967 16484 38457  
99469 99958 66764 80311 22629 28507 00501 87209 85696 53661  
89976 44295 72081 04314 55385 76449 82312 65206 81633 95209  
06131 52875 88861 06381 56557 86195 00630 97368 19648 64557  
79047 60011 94178 66045 98902 14756 96637 66498 02824 39600  
80062 80127 81371 89546 69688 19956 94433 80009 17366 89956  
41006 17971 34054 97507 56364 20239 53989 29446 35470 15039  
13346 69352 83832 25306 88985 97940 99354 06373 64753 04522  
49735 53641 02290 26725 60691 60486 67209 28795 47547 72679  
06888 08336 50761 84960 81972 79119 77676 00238 69336 83351  
86777 07094 59852 86003 58215 51321 17672  
100-428091-5430  
ENCLOSURE

F B I

Date: 4/5/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
 IS-C

On 4/4/66, there were received from the Soviets, via radio, two ciphered - partially coded messages, the plain texts of which are as follows:

"We received two calls for microtransceiver operation on March 30 and April 1 and visited operation site number one on March 31 and operation sites one and two on April 2. No message was received. If necessary, confirm this message today and we will be at operation site number two tomorrow."

Re above, see NY airtels 3/29 and 3/31/66, respectively, reflecting that, owing to atmospheric or other interferences, Soviets' messages were not received in NY and as a result thereof, NY 694-S\* was instructed to request that the Soviets' messages be repeated.

"To Gus Hall

"Hy Lumer can arrive on April 29 direct from Israel. Message to Congress on unity received enthusiastically, published in Sunday's Prayda together with Winnie's speech.

"Person identical with  
CG 5824-S\*"

100-3-Bureau (100-428091) (RM)  
 1-Chicago (134-46 Sub B) (AM RM)  
 1-NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
 1-NY 105-14931-Sub C (TALANOV) (341)  
 1-NY 100-134637 (41)

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Approved: [Signature] Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

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NY 100-134637

Re above, see NY airtel 3/30/66, page 2, reflecting that GUS HALL had desired that HY LUMER return to the USA on or before April 22. See also, with respect to "the message to Congress" NY airtel 3/25/66, page 2, which contains GUS HALL's greetings to LEONID ILYICH BREZHNEV, First Secretary of the CCCPSU, on the occasion of the 23rd Congress of the CCCPSU.

For the information of the Bureau, and with reference to the first message indicated above, the confusion between NY 694-S\* and the Russians concerning signals given by the informant was the result of the informant giving the wrong signals. He intended to give signals requesting a repeat of the radio messages, when in reality the signals given instructed the Russians to accept a microtransceiver message. This is being straightened out by the informant.

## ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 4/4/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED MAIL  
(Priority)TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
Attn: FBI Laboratory

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

SOLO  
IS-C

On 4/2/66 there was received at a Solo drop box maintained in Chicago, Ill., an air mail envelope from CG 5824-S\*, postmarked Moscow, USSR, 3/28/66. Contained therein was a clipping from the 3/24/66 issue of "Pravda," which concerned the new program of the CP, USA. We believe that the only significant feature of this communication is the date of the clipping which may be meant to convey the date on which CG 5824-S\* arrived in Moscow. Additionally, it may merely be a signal to indicate he is well and functioning in Moscow. However, in the event greater significance is to be placed on this, there is enclosed herewith for the Bureau one Xerox copy of this clipping and the FBI Laboratory is requested to expeditiously furnish Chicago and NY a full translation of this article so it will be available when CG 5824-S\* returns from the current Solo Mission.

1-904  
4-Bureau (Enc. 1) (RM)  
1-New York (100-134637) (Info) (RM)  
1-Chicago

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T-73785  
T.M. Olsch

4-4-66  
COPY AND ~~ENCLOSURES~~ RETAINED IN LAB  
FOR INFORMATION AND REPORT

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6 APR 11 1966

Approved: Kemo

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

51 APR 21 1966

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

DATE: 4/5/66

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub F)

SUBJECT:

SOLO

IS-C

ReBulet dated May 4, 1960, and CGlet dated March 4, 1966.

ReBulet instructed Chicago to set forth a monthly accounting of all receipts and disbursements of Solo and CP, USA Reserve Funds in possession of CG 5824-S\*. Set forth below is such an accounting:

Balance of funds in possession of  
CG 5824-S\* as of February 28, 1966

Solo

Maintained in cash in safe  
deposit box, Mid-America  
National Bank, Chicago,  
Illinois

\$110,000.00

Maintained in cash in safe  
deposit box, Michigan Avenue  
National Bank, Chicago,  
Illinois

39,855.55

CP, USA Reserve Funds

Maintained in cash in safe  
deposit box, Michigan Avenue  
National Bank, Chicago,  
Illinois

.26

AdditionsSolo and CP, USA Reserve Funds

None.

②-Bureau (RM)

2-New York (RM)

(1 - 100-128861 (CP, USA - Reserve Funds)

(1 - 100-134637 (SOLO)

1-Chicago

RWH:MDW

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100-428091-5433



CG 134-46 Sub F

Disbursements

Solo

On 3/14/66 as purchase price for  
Cross Brothers ballpoint pens and  
fillers; Parker "Pieces of Eight"  
ballpoint pens and fillers; and  
miscellaneous gifts and gadgets  
to be presented on behalf of CP,  
USA to leading CP representatives  
abroad \$100.00

On 3/18/66 as purchase price of  
hose, blouses, and similar items  
secured as gifts for wives of  
leading CP officials abroad 29.90

On 3/18/66 as purchase price of  
ballpoint pens, fillers, and other  
miscellaneous items for use as  
gifts to CP officials abroad 20.00

On 3/18/66 as purchase price paid  
for art piece (portrait of GUS  
HALL's daughter BARBARA) secured  
on HALL's instructions and sent to  
daughter early April, 1966 125.00

Total \$274.90

Balance of funds in possession of  
CG 5824-S\* as of March 1, 1966

Solo

Maintained in cash in safe  
deposit box, Michigan Avenue  
National Bank, Chicago,  
Illinois \$149,580.65

CP, USA Reserve Funds

Maintained in cash in safe  
deposit box, Michigan Avenue  
National Bank, Chicago,  
Illinois .26

Total \$149,580.91

CG 134-46 Sub F

It will be noted that as of February 28, 1966, the source maintained \$110,000.00 in cash in the Mid-America National Bank, Chicago, Illinois, which money is in a safe deposit box maintained in a confidential identity for the source. Since source is presently traveling abroad under that identity, the above-noted funds were transferred to a true name box by CG 6653-S on March 21, 1966. This transfer was made as a precaution to avoid the possibility of control being lost if some unforeseen event might take place during the course of CG 5824-S\*'s travel. This money will be returned to the box at Mid-America National Bank upon the successful conclusion of CG 5824-S\*'s current Solo Mission.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

DATE: 4/5/66

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637A)

SUBJECT: SOLO  
IS - C

Remylet, 3/4/66.

The records of the NYO reflect the following transactions regarding SOLO funds during the month of March, 1966:

## CREDITS

4/1/66 On hand \$1,210,533.78

## DEBITS

3/2/66 To LEM HARRIS  
for stock investments  
for the CP, USA \$6,000.00

3/7/66 To HELEN WINTER, for  
National Office,  
CPUSA expenses 10,000.00

3/21/66 To HELEN WINTER, for  
travel expenses of the  
CPUSA delegation to the  
23rd Congress of the  
CPSU 6,000.00

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- ② - Bureau (RM)  
1 - Chicago (134-46-Sub B) (RM)  
1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
1 - NY 100-128861-Sub B (CPUSA-RESERVE FUNDS) (42)  
1 - NY 100-134637A (41)

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NY 100-134637A

3/21/66	To NY 694-S*, for deposit in his own business account at the CB, N.Y.T. Company.	\$4,000.00	
3/29/66	To GUS HALL, \$6,000.00, \$2,000.00 of which HALL indicated is for A.I.M.S.	<u>6,000.00</u>	<u>\$32,000.00</u>
			\$1,178,533.78

The above balance, \$1,184,533.78, as of 3/31/66,  
is maintained as follows, according to NY 694-S\*:

Vault - 67 Broad St. Branch of C.B.N.Y.T. Co.	\$298,000.00
Vault - 20 Pine St. Branch of C.B.N.Y.T. Co.	203,609.00
JACK BROOKS Regular Checking Account #1 (991-228919), 20 Pine St. Branch of C.B.N.Y.T.	28,374.78
JACK BROOKS Regular Checking Account #2 (001-232835), 20 Pine St. Branch of C.B.N.Y.T.	32,345.92
JACK BROOKS Regular Checking Account #3 (001-237942), 20 Pine St. Branch of C.B.N.Y.T.	49,204.08
NYO vault at Manufacturers' Trust Co., 69th St. and 3rd Ave., NYC.	<u>567,000.00</u>
	\$1,178,533.18

Note: "C.B.N.Y.T." above is Chemical Bank-New York Trust Co.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: April 8, 1966

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner

1 - DeLoach  
1 - Sullivan  
1 - Baumgardner  
1 - Shaw

SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

My memorandum of 3/8/66 set forth in detail receipts and disbursements of funds from the Soviet Union and Red China by the Communist Party, USA, during the month of 2/66. The following schedule shows the present status of these funds, together with disbursements during 3/66.

## SUMMARY:

Total received from the Soviet Union 9/58 to 3/31/66.	\$3,795,639.00
Total received from Red China 2/60 to 3/31/66.....	50,000.00
Grand total received 9/58 to 3/31/66.....	3,845,639.00
Total disbursements to 3/31/66.....	2,517,524.57
Balance of Fund 3/31/66.....	\$1,328,114.43

This balance is maintained as follows:

\$1,178,533.78 by NY 694-S\* in New York City.  
149,580.65 by CG 5824-S\* in Chicago, Illinois.

## DETAILS:

Total received from the Soviet Union 9/58 to 2/28/66.	\$3,795,639.00
Total received from Red China 2/60 to 2/28/66.....	50,000.00
Grand total received 9/58 to 2/28/66.....	3,845,639.00
Total disbursements to 2/28/66.....	2,485,249.67
Balance of Fund 2/28/66.....	\$1,360,389.33

## DISBURSEMENTS DURING MARCH, 1966:

3/2/66 - For stock market investment in behalf of Communist Party, USA.....	\$ 6,000.00
3/7/66 - For operating expenses of Party's National Office.....	10,000.00

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan  
Re: SOLO  
100-428091

3/14/66 - For gifts to be presented to Soviet Communist Party officials by CG 5824-S*....\$	100.00
3/18/66 - For gifts to be presented to wives of Soviet Communist Party officials.....	49.90
3/18/66 - For oil painting of Barbara Hall Conway, daughter of Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA (purchased on Hall's instructions).....	125.00
3/21/66 - For travel expenses of Communist Party, USA, delegation to the 23rd Congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union....	6,000.00
3/21/66 - To NY 694-S* for deposit to informant's business account per instructions of Gus Hall.....	4,000.00
3/29/66 - To Gus Hall who indicated that \$2,000 was for Party front, American Institute for Marxist Studies. (Hall did not indicate what he intended to use the \$4,000 for)....	6,000.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS FOR MARCH, 1966.....\$	32,274.90
BALANCE OF FUND--MARCH 31, 1966.....\$	1,328,114.43

ACTION:

None. This memorandum is submitted for your information. An up-to-date accounting of Solo funds will be brought to your attention each month. Details of the accounting of these funds are not to be disseminated.

WA  
JSS  
CDB/K  
WMS  
V  
D  
JS

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*BA*  
**Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE**

TO : Mr. Conrad *June 10*  
FROM : C. F. Downing  
SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

DATE: April 11, 1966

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Wick \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S\* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 4/11/66, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at which time three messages, NR 564 GR 98, NR 317 GR 43 and NR 874 GR 62, were intercepted.

NR 317 GR 43 and NR 874 GR 62 are repeats, and are, respectively, the subject of my memoranda to you dated 3/31/66 and 4/4/66. As the former was badly garbled previously, its plain text and cipher text are attached. The plain text and cipher text of the new message, NR 564 GR 98, are also attached.

The New York Office is aware of the contents. *al*

ACTION:

For information.

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Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
- 1 - Mr. Newpher
- 1 - Mr. Paddock

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PWP:dek  
(7) *al*

2 ENCLOSURE

*File*  
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NR 564 GR 98

4/11/66

83460 81591 13012 30923 94994 28560 95479 19888 98288 21581  
12951 50308 74453 21397 77436 57299 41058 75734 76386 31528  
65147 25287 33631 62508 70159 43529 53134 78643 81362 93318  
05407 18986 11892 77887 15896 89106 23421 75693 84321 22139  
42638 58108 42806 89803 30614 99396 73567 77574 03877 01211  
46661 80328 84582 75587 13381 71918 14097 61757 28579 48131  
93682 96064 41242 70763 34283 07190 12919 22283 47433 10889  
41930 84536 76676 68643 98697 94484 20259 08071 04309 92891  
50183 32110 75984 54984 27955 75831 46982 19989 98494 09949  
80345 63000 15275 43586 86275 43307 67790 17051

NR 564 GR 98

4/11/66

TO SPRING. ON MARCH 30 AND APRIL 1 WE RECEIVED OUR SHORT  
SIGNALS. OUR RESPONSE WAS ALSO OF OUR SIGNALS. THIS IS WHY WE  
ENT TO GIRLS. PLEASE INFORM US WHETHER YOU RECEIVE OUR RESPO  
NSE WELL. NEXT GIRL IS NUMBER TWO. YOU MAY BUY YOUR TOY IN ANY T  
OY OR WOOLWORTH SHOP. YOU MAY BUY ANY TOY SUITABLE FOR THIS PU  
RPOSE AND LET US KNOW HOW IT WORKS. TUGS WILL BE REPEATED.

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NR 317 GR 43

4/11/66

73933 80979 69752 28778 46720 42740 30863 87339 14036 39489

15324 49993 37731 49404 93460 41269 14792 08997 95959 72491

91686 89680 62239 71692 53441 01781 74343 38389 75147 38496

94394 64036 48285 79420 87318 58532 23089 79866 95623 51032

46347 57724 79315

NR 317 GR 43

4/11/66

WE AGREE WITH YOUR PROPOSAL, <sup>4</sup>CONSISTERS EXCEPT SISTER KATE, IT

HAT SHOULD BE EXCLUDED. PLEASE CHECK SISTER JENNY'S ADDRESS

S. WE THINK IT SHOULD BE #259# <sup>1</sup>SAVE STREET. //

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100-443881-1

F B I

Date: 4/11/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
 IS-C

On 4/11/66, there were received from the Soviets, via radio, three ciphered, partially-coded messages.

The first message received is as follows:

"To JACK CHILDS

"On March 30 and April 1 we received four short signals. Our response was also four signals. This is why we went to microtransceiver operation. Please inform us whether you receive our response well. Next microtransceiver operation is number two. You may buy your toy in any toy or Woolworth shop. You may buy any toy suitable for this purpose and let us know how it works. Radio message will be repeated."

The second message was a repeat of the message received 3/31/66. See NY airtel 3/31/66.

The third message was a repeat of a 62-group message received 4/4/66. See NY airtel 4/5/66.

- 3 - Bureau (RM)  
 1 - Chicago (134-46-Sub B) (AM RM)  
 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
 1 - NY 105-14931-Sub C (TALANOV) (341)  
 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

WCM:msb  
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6 APR 14 1966

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

65 APR 19 1966

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## ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 4/6/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
IS-C

On 4/6/66, pursuant to previous arrangements, NY 694-S\* transmitted to the Soviets a number of messages on microfilm, one of which was in cipher and the rest of which were in partial code. The plain text of the aforesaid messages are as follows:

"CCCPSU

"Please hand this radio message to person identical with CG 5824-S\*. Stepunin, Cultural Attache from USSR Embassy Washington, saw Jessica Smith and told her that money for Jessica Smith was received and on hand. He also said that \$30,000 was always the correct amount for the year. He said that a USSR Central Committee member was in U.S. three weeks ago and told him this. It is difficult for me to believe this for it puts me and our Central Committee in a bad light. These facts must be ascertained once and for all immediately. Await your reply.

"Gus Hall"

- 1-404
- 3 - BUREAU (100-428091) (RM)
  - 1 - CHICAGO (134-46-Sub B) (AM-RM)
  - 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)
  - 1 - NY 105-14931-Sub C (NIKOLAI M. TALANOV) (341)
  - 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

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100-428091-5438

APR 15 1966

Approved: [Signature]  
 Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

65 APR 19 1966

NY 100-134637

The significance of the above message is as follows:

According to NY 694-S\*, he was told several days ago by HELEN WINTER that the latter had conferred with JESSICA SMITH who operates the "New World Review." JESSICA SMITH told WINTER that STEPUNIN, Cultural Attache, at the USSR Embassy, had visited her in NY and discussed the question in regard to how much money the Soviets were committed to give SMITH per year for the "New World Review." STEPUNIN indicated that three weeks ago a member of the Central Committee of the CPSU had been in Washington and had discussed this matter with him.

STEPUNIN informed JESSICA SMITH that she had been correct in her opinion that she was to receive \$30,000 per year from the Soviets for the maintenance of "New World Review." He also stated that his information was to the effect that money had been sent to SMITH recently by the Soviets. (NY 694-S\* noted that no money for JESSICA SMITH or the "New World Review" has been received through his secret channel during 1966.)

SMITH is pressing HELEN WINTER for the money which she believes the CPUSA already has received for her.

SMITH informed HELEN WINTER that in the past she had dealt directly with the USSR Friendship Council from whom she had received funds for the "New World Review." She said she blamed NIKOLAI MOSTOVETS, head of the North and South American sections of the International Dept. of the CCCPSU for having severed her contact with the aforesaid USSR Friendship Council. She said MOSTOVETS was inimical toward her because she had written some articles which were critical of the Soviets. JESSICA SMITH said that when she mentioned this matter to STEPUNIN, he denied that MOSTOVETS had done any such thing.

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NY 694-S\* said that there is undoubtedly confusion with respect to how much money per year JESSICA SMITH and the "New World Review" are to receive from the Soviets.

"2. The May 1st Delegation For This Year 1966 Will Be:

- Prev letter to Yeagley, Still & CIA*
1. Israel Crystal ✓
  2. Pat Toohey ✓
  3. Rose Kusnitz ✓
  4. Rasheed Storey ✓
  5. Helen Epstein ✓
  6. Clara Colon ✓
  7. Jesus Colon ✓
  8. Frieda Katz ✓
  9. David Katz ✓
  10. Ted Bassett ✓
- 104 51*

"When these comrades arrive they will tell you who the Chairman of this Delegation will be.

"After May 1 and tour they may choose medical treatment in USSR but that also would be up to you if you so choose. Some are veteran CP comrades, people such as Pat Toohey who worked for many decades. He is originally a coal miner. All are fine and good comrades with many years of struggle."

Re above, see NY airtel 3/31/66, captioned "CPUSA-INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, IS-C," reflecting that, in addition to CP delegates mentioned above, ANN CRYSTAL of NYC and ARCHIE BROWN of San Francisco were to have been members of the May 1st Delegation.

"3. CCCPSU:

"The following is the CPUSA May 1st Delegation of 1966, together with background information concerning them: Israel Crystal, Patrick Toohey, Rose Kusnitz (Rose Chernin), Rasheed Storey, Helen Epstein, Clara Colon, Jesus Colon, Frieda Katz, David Katz and Ted Bassett.

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"Israel Crystal

"Charter member of the CP, active member of the CP New York Press Committee and CP Club Chairman. He has been active in the International Ladies Garment Workers Union (ILGWU) for many years.

"Patrick Toohey

"CP worker and active Party member. An old timer.

"Rose Kusnitz (Rose Chernin)

"Well known CP member in the Southern California District of the CP, member of the leadership of the Southern California State and District Committees, and leader of the Committee for the Foreign Born in that area.



"Leader of Harlem Section of the CP. Leader of "Harlem jobs for Harlem" in the CP Youth project. Member and leader of the New York State CP Committee. Member of the State Board of the NY CP. Age 28. While in Soviet Union Rasheed Storey will attempt to contact his sister who left USA several years ago. She is in USSR. She is a talented singer who has had a mental collapse and is supposed to be in Moscow.

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b7c

"Helen Epstein

"Member of the Clothing Workers Union. Member of the New York State CP in charge of a New York CP Club.

"Clara Colon

"Member of the New York State CP Committee. Member of the Harlem Davis Defense Committee and foremost worker against the McCarran Act Committee. She has succeeded Elizabeth Gurley Flynn in defense work. One of the leading women in the CPUSA today.

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"Jesus Colon

"A Puerto Rican and a member of the National Committee of the CPUSA. He is a columnist for 'The Worker.' He is active in Puerto Rican work nationally and locally.

"Frieda Katz and  
David Katz

"Members of the Ohio District Committee and members of the Ohio State Board of the CP. Very active in the Civil Liberties movement and other CP work in Ohio."

San Francisco will be advised by separate communication that ARCHIE BROWN will not be a member of the aforesaid CP Delegation to Moscow.

"4. CCCPSU:

"Must call to your attention that to date no condolences or messages have been sent to the widow of Dr. Robert Hodes. You received all details on March 10, 1966. Person identical with CG 5824-S\* can help you with this. Memorial meeting for Hodes in NYC is scheduled for April 10, 1966. I again stress that condolences must be sent by you through your institutions to this memorial meeting.

"Gus Hall"

Re above, see NY airtel, 3/11/66, pages 3 and 4.

"5. Your radio message of April 4, 1966, indicated that you were at micro-transceiver sites 1 and 2 on March 30 and April 1, 1966. My walkie-talkie to you on those days was for radio repeats which were five dots. Severe atmospheric disturbances resulting in poor signals, with many drop outs, prevent radio reception in that period. Therefore, I am still requesting that the radio messages of those days be repeated.

NY 100-134637

"Please tell me where I can buy another whistle toy such as I have. It is possible that mine may not work properly. Our next micro-transceiver operation should still start with number 1 inasmuch as I was not there on those days.

"Drop Jennie's correct address number is 259."

"6. Drop Olga is next."



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AIRTEL

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7665)  
FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (66-6989)  
SUBJECT: CG 5824-S\*

EXTREME CAUTION MUST BE EXERCISED WITH RESPECT TO DISSEMINATION OF THE INFO HEREIN INASMUCH AS, BY ITS NATURE, SAID INFO TENDS TO IDENTIFY NY 694-S\*, A VALUABLE INFORMANT, AS THE SOURCE. UNLESS THIS INFO IS OBTAINED FROM A SOURCE OTHER THAN NY 694-S\*, IT SHOULD NOT BE INCLUDED--EVEN IN PARAPHRASED FORM--IN THE INVESTIGATIVE SECTION OF A REPORT.

ReBulet, 3/23/66, to CG, copy to NY, captioned "CG 5824-S\*," and CG let to Bureau, copy to NY, with same caption, dated 4/7/66, both letters concerning investment of CPUSA funds.

On 4/11/66, NY 694-S\* advised as follows:

- ⑤ - Bureau (RM)
  - ① 100-428091 (SOLO)
  - (1-100-3-102) (CPUSA-FUNDS-RESERVE FUNDS)
- 2 - Chicago (134-46) (AM RM)
  - (1-134-46-Sub B (SOLO)
- 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)
- 1 - NY 100-134637 (SOLO) (41)
- 1 - NY 100-84994 (GUS HALL) (42)
- 1 - NY 100-128861 (CPUSA-FUNDS-RESERVE FUNDS) (42)
- 1 - NY 66-6989 (41)

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With respect to investment of CPUSA funds, GUS HALL has instructed NY 694-S\* to arrange that a brokerage account be opened at the New York City office of L. F. Rothchild and Company in the name of MATTHEW BRENNIS HALLINAN, CPUSA youth leader, who resides in Belvedere, California, and is the son of VINCENT HALLINAN, a lawyer closely allied with the CPUSA. This account, to be initially a small one of a few thousand dollars, will be under the exclusive control of NY 694-S\*, and any profits derived therefrom are to be for the use of CPUSA youth activities. Concerning investments, HALL is interested in stocks paying the highest return, and also in tax exempt municipal bonds.

b7D Application forms for opening the aforesaid brokerage account are to be filled out by MATTHEW HALLINAN and sent to the L. F. Rothchild Company, and thereafter NY 694-S\* will place an order for the purchase of stock. Without revealing to [redacted] specifically for whom the stock is to be purchased, or any details with respect thereto, NY 694-S\* is to consult the latter for advice regarding said purchase of stock. As regards HALLINAN, HALL indicated that HALLINAN eventually will be transferred to Philadelphia.

With reference to stock market investment of CPUSA funds other than those mentioned above, HALL informed NY 694-S\* that at the present time, CPUSA attorney JOHN ABT and CPUSA Reserve Fund functionary LEM HARRIS, as a so-called trust fund committee, are setting up a trust that will purchase stock, the profits from which will go to "The Worker." (In the opinion of the NYO, it would seem that the Party is attempting to include "The Worker" in the category of beneficiaries of charitable or eleemosynary trusts, which ordinarily are tax exempt.)

According to HALL, stocks to be bought by this trust must also yield as high a return as possible. Brokers in the deal will be Newburger, Loeb and Company, New York City, and the customers' man handling the account will be BARNETT SHEPARD, formerly a member of the CP-Wall Street group.

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LEM HARRIS will be liaison between the trustees and the brokerage firm for the purpose of buying and selling stock, and he will seek advice in this regard from various sources, including [REDACTED] b7D

HALL further advised that the trust fund ostensibly will be money received from anonymous donors.

NY 694-S\* further stated that HALL did not disclose who would be designated as trustees of the proposed trust fund.

The Bureau and Chicago will be promptly advised as soon as NY 694-S\* obtains further information regarding this matter.

The San Francisco Office is being advised by separate communication regarding MATTHEW HALLINAN's connections with CPUSA stock market investments.

SAC, Chicago (134-46 Sub B)

April 13, 1966

Director, FBI (100-428091)

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REGISTERED MAIL

Attached is the translation which you requested by ~~XXXXX~~ airtel dated 4/4/66.

The contents thereof, where pertinent, must be reported under appropriate captions and afforded whatever investigative attention is necessary.

Disposition of the foreign language material submitted in this connection is set forth below:

Returned herewith.

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1 - New York (100-134637) - Enclosure

1 - Mr. Sullivan (Attn.: Mr. Baumgardner, sent direct with enclosure)

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TRANSLATION FROM RUSSIAN

Among Fraternal Parties

TASKS AND AIMS

Draft of the New Program of United States Communists

Inasmuch as the basic problems facing our people have become or are becoming critical, it can be said that social tension and social conflicts are intensifying. The movement for emancipation of Negroes is the most dynamic element of rising waves of social action.

A very important role is played by the movement for peace, which a growing number of representatives of the younger generation, the intelligentsia, more and more women, those active in the movement for civil rights and representatives of labor unions and various religious groups are joining.

New ideas are being felt in the labor movement. The implementation of new technology with its threat of mass unemployment and more intense exploitation of those workers who succeed in holding their positions has started a number of strikes and given birth to a struggle between labor and capital which is exceptional in its resolute and intense character.

Activity on the part of the younger generation in regard to such diversified problems as extension of academic freedom, civil rights, peace and opposition to ideological cultivation are clear signs of change in the country.

All these changes are caused and stimulated by extensive changes on the world scene.

As these movements and new modern ideas clash with the apparatus of the corporation and its organizations, the corporation faces the problem of political authority.

In national, mass democratic movements, central attention is being given to the use of political pressure and reorganization of existing centers of political power so as to make these centers more easily susceptible to the pressure of the people and to make defeat more harsh for representatives of extremist groups.

TRANSLATED BY: *Th* *dk*  
THOMAS MCLAUGHLIN, JR.:dek  
April 12, 1966

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*stage* ✓ The following stage will represent a transition from political pressure to struggling for political power. It will be developed on the principle of recognition by national movements of the fact that what can be obtained as a result of only one force is insufficient, especially since that which is obtained in such a manner remains constantly threatened so long as an effective political power remains in the hands of the monopolies.

The third stage, the result of intense, direct conflict between monopolies and coalitions of their antagonists, will represent a transition from efforts seeking to obtain the goals and hopes of a people in the restraining chains of capitalist society to the liquidation of these chains and to the socialist reorganization of this society. This stage will follow after recognition of the fact the final victory over monopolies requires reorganization of that social structure within which such monopolies are formed and flourish. This requires yet another movement in the political order of forces placing the strength of socialism against the strength of capitalism.

Leftist policies which have no relation to matters interesting millions are similar to a locomotive which carries no freight. We, along with 50 million participating in the struggle for inflicting defeat on the ultra-right and the influence of Dixicrats, carry out a struggle against racial segregation, poverty and repression and for all unconditional concessions which can be obtained through mass action on the part of our people.

We are ready to join with others in attaining solution to various problems, even when we do not agree with them on other questions.

Inasmuch as millions are now striving for realization of their political goals under conditions imposed by the two-party system, participation in a struggle along with them means fighting on their grounds. This is what we are now doing. In doing this, however, we are making the following distinctions:

1. We are warning against relying on moderate representatives of the corporation apparatus, whether they are Republicans or Democrats, in the hope that they will be a barrier to those of the extreme right or that through them it will be possible to obtain the fulfillment of the peoples' demands.

2. Everywhere and at all times we urge movements of the people to rely on their own independent strength, conviction and mobilization.

3. We are striving for the creation of a coalition of peoples' movements on the basic principle that unity increases strength and therefore should strengthen independence.

4. We are striving for the establishment of strong communist and leftist components as valuable activists of movements of the people. Communists and representatives of other leftist forces possess such necessary qualities as farsightedness, loyalty and militancy. Inasmuch as they are conscious of the link between the struggle of today and the historic prospect of building a more complete social structure, they belong to the ranks of the most dedicated and tireless militants of our day.

The draft of the program of the Communist Party characterizes in detail the situation of various segments of the population of the United States: workers in general and Negro workers in particular, farmers, intellectuals and small businessmen. The draft signifies the growth of a progressive mood among American youth. The Communist Party unmasks the theory of "class cooperation" spread by monopolies and several leaders of the AFL-CIO. In concrete examples, the Communist Party shows the existence of harsh class struggle in the United States. This conflict, discussed in the draft of the program, creates the basis of social relations in this modern society, since in this society two irreconcilable classes participate as antagonists.

The Communist Party gives great attention to the situation in the United States labor movement. It points out that the most important task in this field is the transition from the purely economic and political struggle.

The Communist Party notes signs of the birth of a militant character within the American labor movement. These are determined strikes, demonstrations against reactionary leaders of the labor unions and the resolute struggle of Negro workers.

All these changes reviewed by us are discussed in the draft of the program. These changes have occurred or are now occurring within the working class previewing the liberation of the working movement from the chains of the concept of "class cooperation" and its evident consequences. As soon as the working class frees itself from this path, as soon as it acts against corporations not only in matters of improving its material situations but also in matters concerning war and peace, which are matters of life and death, it will be able to advance toward realizing its next historic goal, that of achieving

political independence. Once this has been done, the working class will be able to fulfill its mission as a leading and dynamic force of a new anti-monopolistic union of the American people.

The existing two-party system encourages corruption and cynicism, and prevents the expression of the people's will. The two-party system in its present form serves as a vise which monopolies use to restrain the social conflicts and movements of our era.

We are encouraging the maximum development of political struggle possible under the existing vise of the two-party system. We are of the opinion that the historic goal of this struggle should be the creation of a new party of the people. Whether this party, upon its inception, will become one of the two principal parties or a third party, or even one among several parties, will be decided by history. This, however, is not basic and not very important at this moment. Also unimportant now is whether its nucleus will consist of that of an existing party in a reshaped form or a party which will be newly formed. The important thing is that it will be a party completely different from existing parties.

It will unite forces against monopolies: the working class, Negroes, independent farmers, intellectuals, small businessmen, individuals of free professions and other representative groups of the population. It will be democratic in its organization.

The program of the new party will hurl a challenge to monopolies in the following basic and decisive matters: foreign politics, guarantee of economic well-being and actual equality for all, and expansion of democracy.

Our program, undoubtedly, will differ from the program of the new party. Our program will go further from the point of view of future prospects. In other words communists are not only struggling for the realization of immediate goals and defending the immediate interest of the working class and the people, but they are also pointing out the perspective of the historical development of the country and attempting to establish a link between a struggle at any given moment and the struggle for the final goal - socialism.

Up to now we have talked about conflicts and goals of a struggle within the framework of the existing social structure, within the framework of capitalist society. We, communists, maintain that the social crisis can be fully solved only through the revolutionary transformation of the society, through the replacement of capitalism by socialism.



In the struggle against such evils as segregation, unemployment and the sweat system, we communists, proceed from efforts to satisfy those very basic needs of the individual, who is also our fellow worker. We hold our communist views because we have become convinced that communism promises the only principle and determined resolution of the problem of liberation from exploitation and oppression.

Reformists strive for reform so as to prolong the existing structure. We are striving for reform, considering it as a basic part of the process hastening the change and replacement of this structure. Therefore we are of the opinion that in the process of struggling for reforms it is possible not only to strive for the optimum conditions for transition to socialism, not only more quickly to reveal the limitations of the existing structure, but also to create a national *and ✓* majority possessing sufficient enterprise and courage and democratic will for a basic reconstruction of American society.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: April 14, 1966

FROM : *D. F. Downing*

SUBJECT: *SOLO*  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

*J* Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S\* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 4/14/66, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at which time two messages, NR 234 GR 122 and NR 875 GR 50, were intercepted.

NR 875 GR 50 is a repeat, and is the subject of my memorandum to you dated 4/4/66. The plain text and cipher text of the new message, NR 234 GR 122, is attached.

The New York Office is aware of the contents. *GA*

ACTION:

For information.

*GA*  
ENCLOSURE

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Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
- 1 - Mr. Newpher
- 1 - Mr. Paddock

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05365 46185 25238 20770 50278 29672 87927 60052 13491 29303  
92495 37456 68618 14778 25771 63197 96303 12846 02125 66327  
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VOID FORMS, INC. NO. 30

NR 0234 GR 122

04/14/66

TO BIRCH. #1#. WE DO NOT KNOW ANY MAN FROM BROOKLYN AND NEVER A  
PPROACHED HIM. THIS APPROACH SEEMS TO BE OF A PROVOCATIVE CH  
ARACTER. IF POSSIBLE GIVE US DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF PERSON  
WHO MADE THIS PROPOSAL TO HIM. HUB WILL TELL YOU ALL DETAILS.  
#2#. WE ARE READY TO MEET BOZO AND MAKE HIS STAY HERE PLEASE AN  
T AND INTERESTING. MEETINGS WITH OUR LEADING ECONOMISTS WI  
LL BE ARRANGED. HUB PROMISED TO MEET BOZO BEFORE HIS DEPARTU  
RE AND TO INFORM US ON THE RESULTS OF HIS TALK. ~~XXXX~~

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE  
Date: 4/13/66

Date: 4/13/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_ (Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL REGISTERED MAIL  
(Priority)

**TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)**

**FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)**

**SOLO**  
**IS-C**

On 4/11/66 there was received through a Solo drop box maintained in Chicago for CG 5824-S\* two air mail envelopes postmarked Moscow, USSR, and bearing the dates 4/2 and 4/4/66. Contained in the envelope postmarked 4/2/66 was a clipping of an article from "Pravda," no date of issue shown, which appears to deal with HENRY WINSTON. Also enclosed in this same envelope were two copies of a 158-page pamphlet entitled, "23rd Congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union--Report of the CPSU Central Committee by L. Brezhnev." The envelope postmarked 4/4/66 contained two clippings from "Pravda", 4/3/66, which set forth the text of three separate articles. One of these articles appears to concern itself with HENRY WINSTON and another appears to be the statement of the CP, USA regarding the 23rd Congress. The envelopes bore the handprinting of CG 5824-S\* and one clipping bore the hand-printed comment, "Hi! Pravda 4-3-66." It is the opinion of the Chicago Office that CG 5824-S\* had penned the foregoing comment for the benefit of CG 6653-S and that this was his signal to her and to the Bureau that he was well and operating.

A Xerox copy of each of the above-mentioned "Pravda" articles is being enclosed herewith for the Bureau, and it is requested that the FBI Laboratory prepare a full

③-Bureau (Enc. 5)(RM)  
1-New York (100-134637)(Info)(RM)  
1-Chicago

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~~FOR LAB ACTION AND REPORT~~

Approved:                     

Special Agent in Charge

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translation of each as expeditiously as possible and furnish Chicago and New York with copies thereof.

There is also enclosed herewith for the Bureau one copy of the above-described 158-page pamphlet which is being submitted for the Bureau's information and which may be retained.

FBI

Date: 4/15/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
 IS - C

By separate airtel to the Bureau on today's date, information is set forth concerning a communication received by this office from CG 5824-S\*, in which he indicates the possibility that he will be ready to return to the United States about 4/22/66 or soon thereafter. CG 5824-S\* also noted that the other delegates of the Communist Party (CP), USA, to the 23rd Congress of the CP, Soviet Union, will not be returning to the United States until early to mid May, 1966, and later. Thus, it appears that CG 5824-S\* will be the first of the CP, USA delegates to return to the United States with a full report for GUS HALL concerning his meetings with leaders of the international Communist movement.

In view of these circumstances, it will be essential that intensive debriefing of CG 5824-S\* be commenced immediately upon his arrival in the United States in order to insure that the Bureau has first access to the important information in his possession prior to his contact with GUS HALL and the CP, USA leadership. Once CG 5824-S\* has contacted GUS HALL,

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 1 - New York (100-134637) (RM)  
 1 - Chicago

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Approved: WJ  
 APR 26 1966 Special Agent in Charge

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*memo to Sullivan Airtel to CG  
 WGS: pax  
 4/19/66*

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 P. J. Gansler  
 S. Shuler*

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*cc Shuler*

*WJ*

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the demands of GUS HALL upon the informant's time would probably cause an extensive delay in obtaining the intelligence data in the informant's possession. In addition, in order to insure absolute completeness and accuracy of all information received from CG 5824-S\*, and in order to expedite the handling and dissemination of this information in a manner most advantageous to the Government, it is considered necessary that this debriefing be carried out by the two contacting agents.

In light of the above, the agents responsible for the handling of CG 5824-S\* have been alerted and are prepared to take the necessary action essential for the initiation of immediate debriefing of this source. In our opinion, CG 5824-S\* will most likely enter the United States at Boston, Massachusetts, and after a brief stopover there will probably proceed to New York City for conferences with GUS HALL, the CP, USA leadership, and NY 694-S\*. If the contacting agents proceed to the informant's point of entry in the United States, discreet and secure contact would be made there, thus enabling immediate debriefing and expeditious handling of the most pertinent intelligence information in his possession. This debriefing could then continue by these agents in New York City prior to and during the period in which the informant is reporting to GUS HALL.

#### Recommendation

In view of the information set forth above, the Chicago Office recommends that the contacting agents, SAs RICHARD W. HANSEN and WALTER A. BOYLE, be authorized to proceed to the informant's point of entry into the United States as soon as specific information is received as to his destination. If this travel is authorized, the estimated cost to the Bureau in this regard is as follows if the informant arrives at Boston and proceeds to New York City:

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Jet coach air transportation for two from  
Chicago to Boston to New York City and return,  
at \$107.88 per agent..... \$215.76

Per diem at \$16.00 per day for two agents for  
approximately four days..... \$128.00

Ground transportation at Chicago, Boston and  
New York for two agents..... \$ 15.00

Total                      \$358.76



FBI

Date: 4/15/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
 IS - C

On 4/15/66 there was received at a Solo mail drop maintained in Chicago, Illinois, for the use of CG 5824-S\* a communication from CG 5824-S\*, whose contents are set forth below. The envelope was postmarked 4/12/66 at Middlesex, England.

"4/11/66

"I took advantage of a British friend to speed a note. I am well even if somewhat tired due to a lot of work. It's all business; so far no theatre or ballet. I doubt very much that I can finish up here before the middle of the month or even a little later. I will then need some days or a week to take care of some business details in one or two other places.

"I saw Abe Lincoln. He and his family were worried about Jim and relieved to hear that it was only minor surgery and only required three days of hospitalization and a few days in the country nearby for rest. Abe was even more surprised to hear that Jim came to work a few times a week. I guess it pays to keep in good shape.

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"By the way, I was thinking about Gimpy and his contracts. Try not to sign them until I can talk to you. We cannot sell his stuff except in small amounts, so why bother with it.

"I hope spring is in full bloom and you are in good health. Please give my special regards to the family, especially my love to cheerful Yogila, and she is cheerful, is she not?

"Tell Mr. Broadman that his letter was received with enthusiasm. I doubt that Hy will make it by the 29th. Most likely the first part of May after his Mediterranean cruise. Mr. Owl Eyes is still not here. Cannot buy his few boxes before May. I wish him good luck after that. Mr. Cane will be back about the middle of May and Dandy later.

"So I will close with the hope that everyone keeps well and cheerful.

"Carson Pirie

"P.S. I forgot to mention that Peoria is getting ready for a big drive. He wants to share the Milwaukee store that they can enlarge their business at will and if necessary keep business going seven days a week and no one can stop them not even the biggest chain stores. They intend to open up new stores in the south and on a big scale."

The significance of this communication, as interpreted by the Chicago Office, is as follows:

CG 5824-S\* utilized the services of one of the British CP delegates to mail this letter, probably JOHN GOLLAN, General Secretary, CP of Great Britain. According to the informant, he will be engaged in Party

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business, probably in East Berlin and Prague, a week or ten days after the middle of the month, which would mean that he would be ready to return to the United States about 4/22/66 or shortly thereafter.

The informant's reference to "ABE LINCOLN" is in reference to VLADIMIR (LNU), a representative of the Security Branch of the International Department, CC, CPSU, who is in charge of the Solo apparatus. VLADIMIR was expressing concern about the recent surgery undergone by NY 694-S\* and expressed surprise that NY 694-S\* had maintained his radio and drop contacts even during his convalescence.

"GIMPY" refers to ISADORE GIBBY NEEDLEMAN. The Chicago Office is not sure of the exact meaning of this reference to his "contracts." Perhaps NY 694-S\* and the New York Office have better information by which to interpret this reference. Perhaps this is in reference to the purchase of Polish stallions which NEEDLEMAN had previously negotiated, but we are not sure.

"YOGILA" is in reference to CG 6653-S.

"Mr. BROADMAN" is GUS HALL, General Secretary, CP, USA, and this remark states that his greetings to the 23rd Congress were received with enthusiasm. CG 5824-S\* states that HY LUMER will probably not be back in the United States by 4/29/66 in view of his trip to Israel.

"Mr. OWL EYES" refers to MAX WEINSTEIN of Chicago. The "few boxes" refers to some Palekh lacquered jewelry boxes handmade in the USSR, which WEINSTEIN is attempting to purchase. "Mr. CANE" refers to HENRY WINSTON, and "DANDY" refers to JAMES JACKSON.

Our interpretation of the "P.S." has the following significance:

The CP of China is getting ready for a big drive

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for leadership in the world communist movement. They want to share the world communist leadership now held by the CP, ~~USA~~, and no one can stop them, not even the CPSU and the other major Parties. The CP of China intends to start up new Parties or factions in South America, Africa and the rest of the world in a big way.

The contents of this letter were furnished telephonically to the New York Office on 4/15/66. In the event the New York Office has any additions to make to the interpretation placed on this communication by the Chicago Office, the New York Office is requested to so advise.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

DATE: April 18, 1966 *WV*

FROM : C. F. Downing *CFD*

SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

*PS.T* On 4/15/66, the New York Office furnished the text of two messages which the informant desired to send and requested that they be enciphered. The cipher text was furnished to New York on 4/18/66. *Mozz*

The plain text and cipher text are attached.

ACTION:

For information.

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2 ENCLOSURE

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Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
- 1 - Mr. Newpher
- 1 - Mr. Paddock

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NR 0001 GR 028

04/15/66

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NR 0001 GR 028

04/15/66

REFEREE COACH MY SCHEDULED WORK DEPENDS UPON KNOWING APPR

OXIMATE DATE OF HUB'S SCAP IN COVE BIRCH

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NR 0001 GR 160

04/15/66

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NR 0001 GR 160

04/15/66

MOST IMPORTANT FOR YOUR IMMEDIATE CONSIDERATION. AGAIN YOUR TUG SIGNALS OF THE #14# TH WERE UNREADABLE. THEREFORE MYBAT SIGNAL OF THE #15# TH, ASKING FOR A TUG REPEAT. THREE TUG REPEATS HAVE BEEN REQUESTED DURING THIS PERIOD. IN RECENT WEEKS TUG SIGNALS WERE WEAK AND FADING, TOGETHER WITH ATMOSPHERIC AND LOCAL INTERFERENCE. BASED ON PAST EXPERIENCE, SUCCESSFUL TUG RESULTS AT THIS TIME OF YEAR SHOULD BE POSSIBLE IF THE FREQUENCY RANGE WERE INCREASED TO #12# MCS THROUGH #15# MCS, PREFERABLY IN THE #14# MCS #14# MC RANGE. REQUEST THIS FREQUENCY CHANGE BE MADE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE USING THE SAME GMT AS USING NOW..

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
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Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO : Mr. Conrad *Due to*

DATE: April 18, 1966

FROM : G. F. Downing *GFD*

SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

*W.S.T.*  
Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S\* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 4/18/66, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at which time two messages, NR 234 GR 122 and NR 241 GR 193, were intercepted.

NR 234 GR 122 is a repeat, and is the subject of my memorandum to you dated 4/14/66. The plain text and cipher text of the new message, NR 241 GR 193, are attached.

The New York Office is aware of the contents.

## ACTION:

For information.

*Al*  
2 ENCLOSURE

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## Enclosure

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- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
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- 1 - Mr. Paddock

*HS*  
HS:dek  
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67 APR 26 1966

NR 241 GR 193

4/18/66

TO BIRCH. IN RESPONSE TO OUR APPEAL OVER PERIOD LAST FEW MONTHS #30# COLOUR PRINTS<sup>N</sup> ALLOCATED FOR CARP. IT COVERS #1966# WE ARE TO RECEIVE #15# COLOUR PRINTS WE ADVANCED OR WHATEVER ADDITIONAL WE GAVE FROM THIS PRINTS. NO ONE FROM REFERENCING<sup>F</sup> OVER THE FREE WEEKS AGO OR NOW. THAT SAME PERSON WHO TALKED TO HER WILL TELL HER WE HANDLE THESE PRINTS AS UP TO NOW. NO QUESTION OF VERACITY OR REFLECTION ON OUR PARTY OR YOU. DETAILS WHEN I SEE YOU SOON. ASH WILL BE<sup>EL</sup> DEPARTED IN ISRAEL. ISRAEL BEYOND FIRST OF MAY. MAY FEW DAYS. TRADE UNION LAND LOCAL #6<sup>5</sup> HAS NOT AS OF TODAY COMMUNICATED WITH COUNCIL OF TRADE UNIONS HERE. NESTY<sup>L Y</sup> C<sup>L</sup> INVITES TWO YOUNG BIRDS TO KEN OPENING MAY #17# SUGGEST<sup>I</sup> ONE<sup>GR</sup> WHITE ONE<sup>GR</sup> NE<sup>GR</sup> NO. CAN GET TICKETS HAZEL TO HOTEL. HUB. ✓

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4/18/66

NR 241 GR 193

4/18/66

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO : Mr. Conrad *Jave*

DATE: April 18, 1966 *mc*

FROM : *J.E.* Downing

SUBJECT: SOLO  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

*S.T.*  
On 4/18/66, the New York Office furnished the text of a message the informant desired to send and requested that it be enciphered. The cipher text was furnished to New York on the same day.

The plain text and cipher text are attached.

## ACTION:

For information.

*5- Shaw*

Enclosure

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REC 17

100-428091-5445  
6 APR 21 1966

- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
- 1 - Mr. Newpher
- 1 - Mr. Paddock

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4/18/66

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ENCLOSURE

100-428091-5445

# ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

FBI

Date: 4/14/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
IS-C

On 4/14/66, there were received from the Soviets, via radio, two cipher-coded messages. The first message received was a repeat of the second message received on 4/4/66 (see NY airtel 4/5/66, P. 1, last paragraph).

The second message received is as follows:

"To GUS HALL

"1. We do not know any man from Brooklyn and never approached him. This approach seems to be of a provocative character. If possible give us detailed description of person who made this proposal to him. Person identical with CG 5824-S\* will tell you all details.

(See NY airtel 3/25/66, P. 7, Item #4)

"2. We are ready to meet [redacted] and make his stay here pleasant and interesting. Meetings with our leading economists will be arranged. Person identical with CG 5824-S\* promised to meet [redacted] before his departure and to inform us all the results of his talk."

(See NY airtel 3/25/66, P. 7, Item #5)

- 3 - Bureau (RM)
- 1 - Chicago (134-46-Sub B) (AM-10)
- 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)
- 1 - NY 105-14931-Sub C (TALANOV) (341)
- 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

WCM:msb  
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6 APR 22 1966

Approved: 67 APR 26 1966  
Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

NY 100-134637

In view of the fact that the above messages were not received solidly in New York, NY 694-S\* has been advised that two messages were sent but were not decipherable. NY 694-S\* is being instructed to request a repeat transmission of the messages.

It is requested that the Chicago Office not disclose to CG 5824-S\* that the above messages were received.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

## ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
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Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: April 19, 1966

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner

1 - DeLoach  
1 - Sullivan  
1 - Baumgardner  
1 - Shaw

SUBJECT

SOLO

INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST

This is to recommend that Special Agents Richard W. Hansen and Walter A. Boyle, who are the contacting Agents for CG 5824-S\*, be authorized to proceed to informant's point of arrival in the United States from the 20th Solo Mission in order that debriefing of informant can be commenced without delay.

You will recall that CG 5824-S\* departed from the United States on 3/18/66 on Solo Mission 20 to the Soviet Union in order to attend the 23rd Congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union. Informant was also instructed by Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA, to contact leading Soviet officials in order to obtain the latest developments in the international communist movement.

On 4/15/66 there was received at a Solo mail drop, maintained in Chicago, Illinois, for the use of CG 5824-S\*, a communication from CG 5824-S\* advising that informant will arrive in the United States about 4/22/66 or soon thereafter.

By airtel 4/15/66 SAC, Chicago, recommended that Special Agents Hansen and Boyle be authorized to proceed to informant's point of entry into the United States as soon as specific information is received as to his destination. This will most likely be either Boston, Massachusetts, or New York City. SAC noted that this will enable the Agents to conduct discreet and secure debriefing and will enable us to have first access to what the informant considers to be the most pertinent intelligence data in his possession. SAC also noted that since the Party is aware of informant's pending return, there will be a demand by the Party's leadership for CG 5824-S\* to hold immediate and extended conferences to discuss matters pertaining to the international communist movement. If such meetings take place prior to contact by Bureau Agents, there undoubtedly will be an extensive delay in commencing the debriefing of informant. SAC, Chicago, estimated cost to the Bureau by such travel on the part of the contacting Agents to be \$358.76.

1 - M. F. Row (6221 IB)

100-428091

Enclosure

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6 APR 22 1966

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Memorandum to Mr. W. C. Sullivan  
Re: SOLO  
100-428091

OBSERVATION:

In view of the importance of the intelligence data, informant should bring back, it is believed judicious to have the contacting Agents meet CG 5824-S\*. Debriefing by two Agents is considered necessary in order to insure absolute completeness and accuracy of all information received. These two Agents are completely familiar with the names, places, and events in the international communist movement and have in the past greatly facilitated the debriefing of informant. They will not depart for informant's point of entry until specific data is received concerning the date of informant's arrival.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached airtel be sent to Chicago authorizing Agents Hansen and Boyle to proceed to informant's point of arrival in the United States as soon as specific information in that regard is received.

WCH  
JMK WCH  
OK. V. J  
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# ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

4/21/66

airtel

1 - Mr. Shaw

To: SAC, Chicago (134-46 Sub B)

From: Director, FBI (100-428091)

SOLO

INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Reurairtel 4/19/66, a copy of which was furnished to the New York Office.

Reairtel requested the Bureau to authorize the New York Office to discuss in detail with NY 694-S\* the chamfering of a communication sent by CG 5824-S\* to a mail drop in Chicago, Illinois.

The Bureau does not desire that this matter be discussed with NY 694-S\* at this time.

Chicago should promptly discuss this matter with CG 5824-S\* upon informant's return from his current Solo mission. Promptly furnish CG 5824-S\*'s reaction along with your recommended course of action.

2 - New York (100-134637)

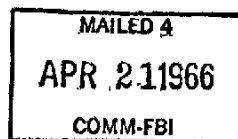
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100-428091-5448

6 APR 22 1966

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MAIL ROOM ☒ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

APR 26 1966

# ROUTE <sup>IN</sup> ENVELOPE

Date: 4/18/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
IS-C

On 4/18/66, there were received from the Soviets, via radio, two ciphered-coded messages. One was a repeat of a message received on 4/14/66 (see NY airtel 4/14/66, P. 1, par. 2 and 3).

The second message received is as follows:

"To GUS HALL

"In response to our appeal over period last few months, \$30,000.00 allocated for JESSICA SMITH; it covers 1966. We are to receive \$15,000.00 we advanced for whatever additional we gave from this money. No one from CCCPSU in USA three weeks ago or now. That same person who talked to her will tell her we handled this money usually up to now. No question of veracity or reflection on our Party or you. Details when I see you soon.

(Re above, see NY airtel 4/6/66)

"HY LUMER will be delayed in Israel beyond first of May few days.

(See NY airtels 4/5/66 and 3/30/66 re HY LUMER's scheduled return to USA.)

- 3 - Bureau (RM)  
 1 - Chicago (134-46-Sub B)(AM RM)  
 1 - NY 134-91 (INV)(41)  
 1 - NY 105-14931-Sub C (TALANOV)(341)  
 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

ACB:msb  
 (8)

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6 APR 25 1966

Approved: [Signature]  
 Special Agent in Charge

Sent     M Per    

67 APR 26 1966

NY 100-134637

"Trade Union delegation Local 65 has not as of today communicated with Council of Trade Unions here.

(See NY airtel 3/8/66, P. 2, and NY airtel, 2/25/66, P. 6)

"USSR YCL invites two young CP members to conference opening May 17. Suggests one white, one Negro. Can get tickets New York City to Moscow.

"Person identical with CG 5824-S\*"

In view of the fact that the above messages were not received solidly in New York, NY 694-S\* is being instructed to request a repeat transmission of the aforesaid messages.

It is requested that the Chicago Office not disclose to CG 5824-S\* that the above messages were received.

## ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

FBI

Date: 4/22/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTELAIR MAIL SPECIAL DELIVERY;  
REGISTERED MAIL

(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

SOLO  
IS-C

ReCGairtel dated 4/19/66 and Butel call of  
Section Chief FRED BAUMGARDNER, Internal Security Section,  
4/22/66.

Pursuant to reButel call, there is enclosed  
herewith the original communication prepared by CG 5824-S\*  
and mailed to a Chicago drop from England by a "British  
friend" of the source. Details regarding this communica-  
tion and possible ramifications connected with this matter  
were previously discussed in detail in reCGairtel.

As previously noted in reCGairtel, the enclosed  
letter was initially received in Chicago by CS [redacted] b7D  
on 4/15/66 who was the first known individual to handle  
and was the individual who opened the communication. Sub-  
sequently, the communication was handled and read by  
CG 6653-S. In addition, the communication has also been  
handled, prior to the discovery of the tracing tissue,  
by agents handling the Solo operation. It is also possible  
that this communication has been handled by a number of  
other unknown individuals including the yet unidentified  
member of the CP of Great Britain who mailed the letter  
for the source.

③-Bureau (Enc. 1) (AMSD) (RM)  
1-Chicago

RW:MDW

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6 APR 26 1966

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Approved: [Signature]  
Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

CG 134-46 Sub B

As the Chicago Office has made a Xerox copy of the communication received from CG 5824-S\* and since CG 6653-S has no objection to the permanent retention thereof by the Bureau, the FBI Laboratory is free to conduct any examination or test of this document that may be deemed desirable. If mutilation, in part or in total, of the document is found necessary in connection with conducting such examinations, the Chicago Office does not feel that this would have any detrimental effect at this point.

F B I

Date: 4/22/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_

(Type in plaintext or code)  
AIR MAIL SPECIAL DELIVERY;  
REGISTERED MAIL

Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_

(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (134-46 Sub B)

SOLO  
IS-C

ReCGairtels dated 4/19 and 4/22/66.

At approximately 10:05 a.m., 4/22/66, CG 6653-S telephonically furnished SA RICHARD W. HANSEN with the text of a communication which had just been received this date from CG 5824-S\*. This communication had been directed to the "Lydia White" drop in Chicago and bore a postmark of Berlin, West Germany, and a cancelation date of 4/20/66.

Set forth below is the text of the communication as furnished telephonically by CG 6653-S together with an interpretation of certain portions thereof which has been placed in parentheses. While there is no positive way at this time to actually substantiate the accuracy of the interpretative comments added by Chicago, it is the best judgment of the Chicago Office that these interpretations are the meanings which the source intended to convey through this communication:

1-904  
③-Bureau (AMSD)(RM)  
1-New York (100-134637)(Info)(RM)  
1-Chicago

RWH:MDW  
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EX-108

Approved: *[Signature]*  
Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

CG 134-46 Sub B

4/18, Monday

Dear Lydia and Norman:

Just to let you know I am well and continuing my tour. I expect to leave here (East Berlin, German Democratic Republic) tomorrow (4/19/66), no later, and go to Providence (Prague, Czechoslovakia). I should finish my business there in two-three days (4/21-22/66 at latest) unless I hear from Milwaukee (Moscow). Mr. Cane (HENRY WINSTON) and some of his associates (JAMES JACKSON and HYMAN LUMER) want me to join him (WINSTON) in some talks with Mr. Skinner (believed to be MIKHAIL A. SUSLOV, member of Political Bureau, Central Committee, CP of the Soviet Union and leading CPSU theoretician) regarding our new catalog (draft program of the CP, USA).

I hope Mr. Cane (WINSTON) goes on a vacation and I am permitted to keep my appointment with Mr. Beans (return to U.S. via Boston, Massachusetts). What I am really trying to convey to you is that if I am late for office conferences (National Board, CP, USA meeting 4/22/66), it is because Mr. Dandy (JACKSON) went his way and Mr. HYATT (LUMER) is all set to go on his Mediterranean cruise (to Israel) the same time I go to Providence (Prague). He is with me (in East Berlin). All seem to feel that Mr. Cane (WINSTON) cannot be left by himself for such delicate literary talks (theoretical discussions), especially considering his condition (blindness). I repeat I am resisting, but it is not entirely up to me.

Mr. Walleye's (GUS HALL) explosion about the perennial subject (money) of the merits of Jasmin (and JESSICA SMITH of "New World Review") or is it with an E--instead of rose leaves or essence--took up a lot of my time. Mr. Mutt (NIKOLAI V. MOSTOVETS, Head of the North and South American Section, International Department, Central Committee, CP of the Soviet Union) held up my letter of reply (document prepared by CG 5824-S\* for the CC, CPSU on this matter) while I got into conference to "straighten



CG 134-46 Sub B

this mess out." I used quotes because I am not sure it is finished despite my telegram (message re JESSICA SMITH recently received via the Solo apparatus by NY 694-S\* in NYC).

Well I better close and get to work and prepare for the attendance at one brief opera or rehearsal (apparently had meeting 4/18/66 with Socialist Unity Party of Germany representatives).

Tell Yogila (CG 6653-S) that I did not forget him (her) and he (she) is constantly on my mind. I am very anxious to see him (her) and hope life makes it possible to spend more time in pleasurable pursuits rather than the nagging business of contracts, briefs, etc. Be well.

With all my best,

/S/ Scott

For the Bureau's additional information, it is the opinion of the Chicago Office that while this communication was mailed in Berlin, West Germany, it was not mailed by the source there. As the Bureau will recall, several years ago during his contacts with HEINZ BIRCH, a highly placed representative of the International Department, Central Committee, Socialist Unity Party of Germany, this individual told the source that any time he was in East Berlin and wanted to send material back to the U.S., he, BIRCH, would personally handle it for him or arrange for someone else to handle it. BIRCH noted that they regularly have people traveling to West Berlin and that such a communication could be safely mailed from West Berlin without any jeopardy to CG 5824-S\*. On one previous occasion, CG 5824-S\* had accepted BIRCH's offer and this individual had mailed a communication of CG 5824-S\* from West Berlin. It is believed by Chicago that this was the method which CG 5824-S\* utilized in connection with the present communication.

Due to the fact that a personal meeting could not be securely arranged with CG 6653-S, the Chicago Office on 4/22/66 was unable to obtain the originals of the above envelope and letter from the source. However, arrangements have been made to secure this material when such a contact can be arranged and it will then be immediately transmitted to the Bureau. These items will be submitted to the Bureau

CG 134-46 Sub B

since it is felt that the Bureau might desire to run tests and examinations on these new items simultaneously with examinations of the material previously forwarded by reCGairtels.

The New York Office was also advised on 4/22/66 by telephone of the contents of the communication received this date in order that the contents thereof could be transmitted to NY 694-S\* immediately.

# ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

4/20/66

**Airtel**

1 - DeLoach  
1 - Sullivan  
1 - Baumgardner  
1 - Shaw

**To: SAC, Chicago (134-46 Sub B)**

**From: Director, FBI (100-428091)**

**SOLO**  
**INTERNAL SECURITY - C**

Reurairtel 4/15/66 requesting authority for Special Agents Richard W. Hansen and Walter A. Boyle, contacting Agents for CG 5824-S\*, to proceed to informant's point of entry in the U. S. as soon as specific information is received in that regard. This authority was requested in order that debriefing of informant can commence without delay.

Authority is granted to send Special Agents Hansen and Boyle to meet informant as soon as specific date of arrival in the U. S. is received. Debriefing of informant must be handled expeditiously and the Bureau immediately advised by teletype of pertinent intelligence data developed by informant while on the 20th Solo Mission.

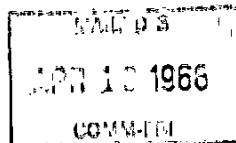
1 - Mr. M. F. Row (6221 IB)

WGS:pah  
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**NOTE:**

See cover memorandum Baumgardner to Sullivan, dated 4/19/66, same caption, prepared by WGS:pah.

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EX-108

6 APR 26 1966

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

DIRECTOR, FBI

4/20/66

SAC, NEW YORK (100-157294) (P)

*mm*  
*Re*  
ALEXANDER (LNU)  
(CP OF PUERTO RICO  
REPRESENTATIVE IN NYC)  
SM - C

ReBulet to NY dated 3/16/66, case entitled "SOLO",  
IS - C"; and NY airtel to the Bureau and San Juan dated  
3/28/66, case entitled "COMMUNIST PARTY OF PUERTO RICO";  
IS - C" (Bufile 64-20048) (SJfile 100-20) (NYfile 100-6562).

By referenced Bulet dated 3/16/66, it was reported  
that a person named "ALEXANDER", who resides in NYC, was  
being considered as a representative of the CP of Puerto  
Rico to the 23rd Congress of the CP of the Soviet Union,  
Moscow, USSR.

By referenced NY airtel dated 3/28/66, both the  
Bureau and San Juan were advised that a highly placed NYO  
source reported, on 3/25/66, that no Puerto Rican Delegation  
would attend the 23rd Congress and that no information as  
to the identity of ALEXANDER (LNU) had been ascertained.

A review of current Puerto Rican information  
relating to the CP of Puerto Rico, as maintained by the NYO,  
fails to reflect on the membership of any individual with  
the name "ALEXANDER". NYO sources, familiar with Puerto  
Rican matters, discreetly contacted to protect the original  
source's captioned matter, as yet, have no knowledge or  
suggestion as to the identity of "ALEXANDER".

NY 694-S\* advised on 4/12/66, that no information  
had come to his attention reflecting upon the captioned

- ③ - Bureau  
    ① - 100-428091  
2 - San Juan  
1 - New York (100-134637) (#41)  
1 - New York

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individual or upon any individual who might possibly relate to the above described potential representative of the CP of Puerto Rico, presumably in NYC, during March, 1966.

As suggested by the above referenced NY airtel to the Bureau and San Juan dated 3/28/66, the San Juan Office is requested to advise the NYO the results of its discreet inquiries, without endangering the source of captioned matter, concerning the identity of captioned individual.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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**Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE**

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TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*  
FROM : *Q.F.* Downing

DATE: April 25, 1966

SUBJECT: *SOLO*  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Captioned case involves the Bureau's highly valuable confidential informant NY 694-S\* who has been receiving communications transmitted to him by radio.

On 4/25/66, transmissions were heard by the Bureau's radio station at Midland at which time a message, NR 363 GR 57, was intercepted.

The plain text and cipher text are attached.

The New York Office is aware of the contents.

ACTION:

For information.

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100-428091-5453  
6 APR 27 1966  
*S. S. S.*

Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 2 - Mr. Sullivan (Attention: Mr. J. A. Sizoo, Mr. W. G. Shaw)
- 1 - Mr. Downing
- 1 - Mr. Newpher
- 1 - Mr. Paddock

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NR 363 GR 57

4/25/66

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75565 98671 94375 78352 39018 22844 26229 90646 47467 53018  
51450 77186 14194 69160 21263 81452 17845 13281 17779 86922  
23403 23803 58570 46512 52831 91382 18625

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NR 363 GR 57

4/25/66

TO BIRCH, HUB NEW HOTEL APRIL #16#, HIS INTENTION WAS TO STAY  
FOR A FEW DAYS IN SHORE AND OFFICE, HE DID NOT <sup>IN</sup> FORM US ON DATE  
HIS LOG FOR COVE, TO SPRING, THIS TUG WILL BE REPEATED IN TWO H  
OURS FOR CHECKING PURPOSE

ENCLOSURE

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

**Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE**

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: April 21, 1966

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner

1 - Mr. DeLoach  
1 - Mr. Mohr  
1 - Mr. Callahan  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. Baumgardner  
1 - Mr. Shaw  
1 - Mr. Rozamus

SUBJECT: **SOLO**  
**INTERNAL SECURITY - COMMUNIST**

New York letter of April 7, 1966, points out that monthly payments are made in cash for space rented in a building at 17 Battery Place, New York City. The space is utilized in the Solo Operation. The letter recommends that a checking account be opened in order that payments may be made by checks. We agree.

Space Utilized at 17 Battery Place:

My memorandum to you of November 5, 1962, recommended and was approved that a cover office be obtained for use of NY 694-S\* to handle Soviet radio messages and other clandestine work which he could not perform in this business office or at his residence. The cover office was also approved as a secure meeting place between the informant and the contacting Agent. The space was initially obtained in a building at 154 Nassau Street, New York City.

In January, 1965, it was necessary to move the cover office since the building at 154 Nassau Street was to be demolished. Suitable space was found in Room 1122, 17 Battery Place. It was leased through [redacted] General Manager, Sheraton Whitehall Corporation, under the fictitious name of Warren Thomas. Monthly rental payments of \$185 have been made to [redacted]. In his absence, it has been found necessary to make the rental payments to a cashier.

New York Office suggests that a checking account be opened under the fictitious name of Warren Thomas. In order to avoid service charges and costs for each check which is drawn, the account should be opened with a \$300 deposit and this amount maintained as a minimum balance. Whenever payments would be necessary for rental, a deposit would be made from the confidential fund.

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Memorandum F. J. Baumgardner  
to W. C. Sullivan  
RE: SOLO  
100-428091

OBSERVATIONS:

Good business practice dictates that rent in a commercial building be paid by check. Payments by check would provide additional security for our Solo Operation. Furthermore, Agent's time would be saved since the checks could be mailed directly to the Corporation.

RECOMMENDATION:

The attached letter be sent to New York Office granting authority to open a checking account under the fictitious name of Warren Thomas with a deposit of \$300. Thereafter a sum sufficient to pay the rental is to be drawn from the confidential fund and placed in the checking account when payment is due. The letter instructs that Special Agent in Charge, New York Office, to personally review the checking account on a monthly basis to make certain the account is properly handled.

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W.C.S.

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# ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, New York (100-134637)

4-22-66

PERSONAL ATTENTION

Director, FBI (100-428091) — 5455

SOLO  
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X-102

1 - Mr. DeLoach  
1 - Mr. Mohr  
1 - Mr. Callahan  
1 - Mr. Sullivan  
11 - Mr. Baumgardner  
1 - Mr. Shaw  
1 - Mr. Rozamus

Reurlet dated 4-7-66.

Authority is granted to open a checking account under the fictitious name of Warren Thomas for the purpose of making rental payments for space at 17 Battery Place, New York City. You are authorized to use a sum of \$300 in opening the account and adding sufficient amount to cover rental payment whenever a payment is due.

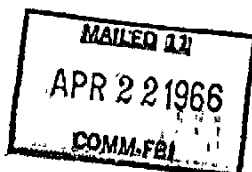
You should personally review the account on a monthly basis to make certain that it is properly handled.

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## NOTE:

See cover memorandum F. J. Baumgardner to W. C. Sullivan, dated 4-21-66, same caption, MJR:klb.

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65 MAY 2 1966  
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)

DATE: 4/7/66

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)

SUBJECT: SOLO  
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REC 70

As the Bureau is aware, the SOLO cover company office at 17 Battery Place, New York City, is leased from the Sheraton Whitehall Corporation, under the fictitious name WARREN THOMAS. As much as possible, all contacts between this office and the Sheraton Whitehall Corporation are made through Mr. [REDACTED] General Manager of the Sheraton Whitehall Corporation, who is the person with whom the original arrangements were made for the space. On some occasions, however, due to the absence of Mr. [REDACTED] it has been necessary to pay the rent to a cashier. This rent, of course, is paid in cash. *New York, N.Y.*

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Since good business practice dictates that rent, especially where it pertains to a business establishment as distinct from apartment renting, is normally paid by check and since it is not always possible to pay this rent to Mr. [REDACTED] it is deemed advisable for the security of this operation to pay all rent in the future by check. The suggested plan is to open a checking account under the name of WARREN THOMAS. In order to avoid service charges and cost for individual checks, it is suggested that this account be opened with a \$300.00 deposit and that amount be maintained as the minimum balance. In this fashion it becomes a "regular checking account" with no charges made by the bank. When the rent is due, cash from the confidential office fund will be deposited into the checking account for the amount of that month's rent and a check will then be drawn to the Sheraton Whitehall Corporation in order to pay the rent. A further advantage to this is that this check can be mailed, avoiding as much personal contact as possible.

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It is therefore requested that the NYO be authorized to open a regular checking account for this purpose.

- Bureau (RM)
- New York (134-91)(#41)
- 1 - New York 100-134637 (#41)

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FBI

Date: 4/25/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
 IS-C

On 4/25/66, there was received from the Soviets via radio the following ciphered-coded message, the plain text of which is as follows:

"To Gus Hall

"Person identical with CG 5824-S\* left Moscow April 16. His intention was to stay for a few days in East Germany and Prague. He did not inform us on date of departure to US.

"To Jack Brooks

"This radio message will be repeated in two hours for checking purpose."

NY 694-S\* stated that he is not going to furnish the above message to GUS HALL inasmuch as he is certain that CG 5824-S\* does not desire that HALL know specifically when the Chicago informant will arrive in USA.

3 - BUREAU (100-428091) (RM)  
 1 - CHICAGO (134-46-Sub B) (AM-RM)  
 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

ACB:rvs  
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 REC 29 APR 29 1966

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

65 MAY 2 1966 Special Agent in Charge

# ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Date: 4/26/66

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL REGISTERED  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-428091)  
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-134637)  
 SUBJECT: SOLO  
IS-C

On 4/25/66, there was received at a New York drop a letter from WILLIAM KASHTAN, Chairman of the Canadian CP, addressed to GUS HALL, under the latter's pseudonym, "HERBERT." The letter is as follows:

"April 22nd. 1966.

"Dear HERBERT:

"Our lad who works in the labor field here is rather anxious to know about some recent developments re steel and mm. We gather there is some talk of merging and naturally people here are concerned with its possible effects in this country. Perhaps you could advise us on what is shaping up which should help in formulating positions here.

Seems a long time since my return from the big affair. I imagine your lads are still travelling around. All in all it seemed quite positive and a powerful demonstration of friendship and solidarity. But I imagine you are on top of developments.

"Would appreciate hearing from you on the above.

"as ever,  
"B."

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 3 - Bureau (RM)  
 1 - Chicago (134-46-Sub B) (AM RM)  
 1 - NY 134-91 (INV) (41)  
 1 - NY 100-134637 (41)

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6 APR 29 1966

ACB:msb  
(7)Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

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"Lad" in paragraph one, according to NY 694-S\*, is a reference to the Canadian CP functionary in charge of trade union work. "Steel and mm" refers to the Steel Union and the Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers Union.

"Big affair", in paragraph two, is a reference to the recent 23rd Congress of the CPSU held in Moscow. "Your lads" is a reference to CPUSA functionaries who attended the said Congress, and as yet have not returned to the USA.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE  
4/28/66

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1 - Shaw

TO SAC NEW YORK (100-134637)

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (100-428091) —

SOLO, INTERNAL SECURITY - C.

REURTEL APRIL TWENTY-EIGHT INSTANT. RETEL REQUESTS BUREAU ADVISE AS TO WHAT ACTION IS DESIRED RELATIVE TO COPY OF NORTH VIETNAM PROPAGANDA FILM CURRENTLY IN POSSESSION OF INFORMANT. COMMENSURATE WITH THE SECURITY OF SOURCE, IT IS DESIRED THAT FILM BE FORWARDED TO THE BUREAU FOR REVIEW AND POSSIBLY FOR COPYING. IF POSSIBLE, TO FORWARD FILM, ADVISE AS TO LENGTH OF TIME IT MAY BE RETAINED AT BUREAU. IF NOT DEEMED JUDICIOUS TO FORWARD FILM TO BUREAU, EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE BY YOUR OFFICE TO REVIEW FILM AND EXPEDITIOUSLY FURNISH THE BUREAU COMPLETE DETAILS.

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NOTE:

CG 5824-S\* returned from Solo Mission 20 to the Soviet Union on 4/25/66. While in the Soviet Union, Le Duan, First Secretary, Vietnam Workers Party, furnished CG 5824-S\* a copy of a North Vietnam propaganda film depicting the bombing of hospitals by U. S. planes. Film is currently in possession of informant but will have to be delivered to the national office of the CPUSA in New York City. It is important that we have an opportunity to review this film prior to the time informant turns it over to the CPUSA in order that we can be in a position to counter the propaganda the CPUSA will undoubtedly endeavor to obtain through the showing of the film. Teletype being utilized in view of the urgency of this matter.

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